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BULGARIAN GOVERNMENT RECONSIDERS ITS IMPETUOUS ACTION

RELEASE OF POLITICAL LEADERS IS NOW MOOTED

W. H. Harkness Jr., 33-year-old American scientist, and member of a wealthy family, is in the same party as Mr. Lawrence K. Gristwald, noted American archaeologist, who is at present attempting to obtain permission from the Nanking Government to explore northern Hunan for the Giant Panda, an almost extinct specie of the bear family.

RANGERS WIN

100,000 SEE HAMILTON'S CUP DEFEAT

HOLDERS LEAD AT INTERVAL

ODD GOAL TRIUMPH

London, Yesterday.

A crowd of 100,000 saw Glasgow Rangers retain the Scottish F. A. Cup yesterday when they beat Hamilton Academicals by 2 goals to 1, after leading by a goal to nil at half time at Hampden Park.

The Rangers thus recorded their ninth Cup triumph since the inception of the competition in the 1873-4 season.

Rainy weather and a very sticky pitch considerably handicapped both sides, the passes stopping short in the mud.

DAWSON DOWN FULL LENGTH

After a quiet start Dawson, the Rangers' goalkeeper, was forced to make a full-length dive to save a drive from McLaren.

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CHINA'S ATTITUDE TOWARDS JAPAN

CONSULS REPORT TO MINISTER

Shanghai, Yesterday.

Mr. Akira Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, sailed for Japan this morning by the Tatsuta Maru to report the result of the Shanghai conference of Japanese consulars in China. —Reuter.

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MR. ROBERT HAAS COMING SOUTH

League Liaison Officer Sails For Hong Kong

Shanghai, Yesterday.

Mr. Robert Haas, the League of Nations liaison officer who has inspected the communications systems in eleven provinces during the last two months left for Hong Kong this afternoon by the m.v. Felix Roussel and will tour Kwangtung and Kwangsi before sailing for Europe. — Reuter.

CANADIAN CRIME

EX-MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FOUND DYING

Victim Of Murderous Assault

GHASTLY DISCOVERY MADE IN LOCKED STORE

Baldwins Mills, Quebec, Yesterday.

Mr. Willis Keith Baldwin, director of many companies and a reputedly eminently wealthy millowner, was found dying to-day in his store, evidently the victim of a murderous assault. His skull was crushed in and a brown paper bag was stuffed into his mouth.

A customer who found Mr. Baldwin's store locked, became suspicious and forcing an entrance, found Mr. Baldwin covered with a white sheet and with his feet and hands tied.

Mr. Baldwin died as he was being lifted across the snow-blocked road into an ambulance.

The police are hunting for a 25-year-old man who was loitering near the store yesterday.

Mr. Baldwin, who was for 18 years a member of the Canadian House of Commons and who retired in 1930, was a well-known philanthropist. He gave every child born in his Parliamentary division a special savings-bank passbook, with a dollar deposited to its credit. — Reuter.

JAPAN TO CONTROL MANCHUKUO OIL

American And British Protest Ignored

Tokyo, Yesterday.

It is understood that the Government regards the Manchukuo oil question, on which it has received strong protests from Britain and the United States, as "liquidated."

Mr. Koki Hirota, the Foreign Minister, confirmed the grant of an oil sales monopoly to a Japanese-controlled company and told the British and American Ambassadors that Japan's position in regard to the Manchukuo Government had already been defined in Japan's previous replies, in which Japan held that Manchukuo acted as an independent State and therefore did not infringe the "open door" principle."—Reuter.

WEATHER REPORT

The anticyclone continues moving eastward and is now centred over the northern part of the Eastern Sea. A ridge of moderately high pressure extends from it to the Pacific to the east of north Japan. A depression is moving east-north-east across south Manchuria. The local forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last night, was east and south-east winds, moderate; cloudy.

Reflecting returning prosperity in America, is the revived activity at Ellis Island, the immigrant portal to New York. These persons, who are seen getting their first glimpse of the chosen land, were among the 112 immigrants arriving from Poland.

HITLER CONSULTS HIS ADVISERS

Reichsfuehrer Adolph Hitler does the dictating, but Baron Von Neurath (above), Reich Foreign Minister, does the talking in German diplomacy.

MUNICH CONFERENCE IN PROGRESS

GERMAN POLICY REVIEWED IN RELATION TO LEAGUE

Berlin, Yesterday.

Important discussions between Herr Hitler, Count von Neurath, the Foreign Minister, Herr von Ribbentrop, Assistant Foreign Secretary, and Dr. Dietrich, who is the Nazi Press Chief, are proceeding at Munich regarding Germany's policy in view of the new situation created by the League censure. — Reuter.

CHINESE PRISONER ESCAPES

REPORTED STILL AT LARGE

Chan Kwok, who was sentenced to six months' hard labour yesterday morning by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court for the theft of a cigarette case, made his escape shortly after.

After being sentenced the prisoner was taken by Indian police-sergeant No. B.307 to the office to get his belongings, and while there he successfully made a bid for freedom. The alarm was immediately raised and all police stations were informed of the escape, but up to a late hour last night the prisoner was reported to be still at large.

GERMAN PROTEST AGAINST LEAGUE

Note Sent To British Government

London, Yesterday.

The German note received by the British Government is understood to be a short document in the nature of a general protest against the Geneva resolution.—Reuter.

A later message states that Germany's note of protest against the Geneva resolution has been delivered to the British Government, similar notes being handed to the other Governments concerned.—Reuter.

EX-KAISER VICTIM OF INFLUENZA

Amsterdam, Yesterday.

According to the newspaper "Het Volk," the ex-Kaiser is suffering from influenza. Two doctors are in attendance. — Reuter.

Amsterdam, Later.

The reports of the ex-kaiser's illness are officially denied.—Reuter.

DISCRIMINATION RENEWED

Rights Being Reserved In Future

Berlin, Yesterday.

Reuter's correspondent understands that the German note states that the governments concerned in the Geneva resolution have no right to appoint themselves as judges over Germany; that the Geneva resolution is an attempt at renewed discrimination against Germany; and that Germany consequently positively repudiated it.

Simultaneously Germany informs Foreign Governments that it reserves its right to making known its attitude to the individual questions raised by the resolution in the near future.—Reuter.

KING CONGRATULATES HITLER

Berlin, Yesterday. — Reichsfuehrer Hitler has received a telegram of birthday congratulations from His Majesty King George.—Reuter.

AMY MOLLISON HAS CLOSE SHAVE OUT DRIVING

Involved In Collision With Motor Cycle: One Killed

London, Yesterday.

The well-known airwoman Amy Mollison had a narrow escape to-day when driving a motor car, accompanied by her father, near the latter's home in Yorkshire, when she was involved in an accident with a motor cycle, the pillion passenger of which was killed and the rider seriously injured.—Reuter.

CABINET IN MAKING

EX-DIPLOMAT TO FORM THE NEW MINISTRY

Military Government Probable

ELABORATE PRECAUTIONS AGAINST DISORDER

Sofia, Yesterday.

A drastic comb-out among opposition leaders on political charges has sent a number of prominent politicians to Bourgas for internment.

M. Mouchanoff, ex-Premier and leader of the Bulgarian Nazis, is being interned because he addressed a circular to his partisans in defiance of the law abolishing political parties.

Other victims include ex-Premier General Gheorghieff and ex-Police Commandant Natcheff.

Four members of the Cabinet have resigned in protest.—Reuter.

Cabinet Resigns

Sofia, Later.

The entire Cabinet has resigned as a sequel to the earlier incidents. The formation of a military Cabinet is expected.

The internment of two ex-Premiers and other prominent politicians has caused a tense situation. Troops were standing by in barracks throughout yesterday in case of disturbances.—Reuter.

Military Measures

Sofia, Later.

Several political leaders interviewed King Boris this morning. A number of army officers also had an audience and it is believed that a temporary military regime was under discussion.

The release of General Gheorghieff, whose arrest, together with that of Professor Zankoff, led to the resignation of the Cabinet, is also being considered.

Elaborate military measures have been taken to prevent any disorders arising from the political crisis.

King Boris has charged M. Andre Tocheff, an ex-diplomat, with the task of forming a new Cabinet. — Reuter.

Mr. J. B. Harrison's Mount Pilatus (Mr. D. Black) caused a minor sensation when he won the New Bridge Handicap in the extremely fast time of 1.03.3 at the Valley yesterday.—(King's Studio).

FATAL ROAD ACCIDENT

LORRY PLUNGES INTO SEA FROM CASTLE PEAK RD.

TWO CHINESE KILLED

ANOTHER SERIOUSLY INJURED: DRIVER ABSCONDS

A fatal accident, in which two Chinese were killed outright and one seriously injured, occurred at the 12½-mile stone on Castle Peak Road, New Territories, shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning when lorry No. 3847, in taking a bend, left the road and plunged from a height of over 100 feet into the sea.

It appears that the lorry was conveying sand to a building site in the New Territories, and when it reached the bend at the 12½-mile stone on the main road, the driver lost control of the vehicle which shot over the edge.

Two coolies who were on the lorry were killed, while the other one was sent to the Kowloon Hospital suffering from serious injuries.

The driver absconded immediately after the accident, and up to a late hour last night no report of his whereabouts had been received. It is unknown whether he received any injuries.

AMERICAN PROTEST TO GERMANY

Interest On Dawes Loan Bonds Unpaid

Washington, Yesterday.

It was officially announced today that the United States Ambassador at Berlin had delivered a strong protest to the Germany Foreign Office against Germany's failure to pay American holders of Dawes Loan bonds, the interest amounting approximately to $2,000,000 due on April 15.

It is understood that the protest is drafted in vigorous terms. — Reuter.

General Tsai Honoured

General Tsai Ting-kai, famous ex-commander of the late 19th Route Army, who arrived in the Colony on Friday, was the guest of honour at a dinner party given by his former army colleague, General Chiang Kwong-nei, at the Kam Loong Restaurant on Friday evening.

Practically, the whole evening was spent listening to the General's experiences on his round-the-world-trip, on which he embarked soon after the short-lived Fukien Revolution in November, 1933.

Yesterday afternoon General Tsai paid a visit to Mr. Hu Han-min, retired official of the Kuomintang but what passed between them is unknown, as both refused to grant interviews to press representatives.

(An interview with General Tsai appears on Page 11)

General Tsai Ting-kai, famous ex-commander of the late 19th Route Army, is seen here on his arrival on Friday morning from Manila. On his right is General Chan Ming-shu, the "brains" behind the short-lived Fukien Revolution, who, together with Tang Sze-tsang, (left) ex-Field Marshal of the same army, met General Tsai at the Kowloon Wharf.

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SHORT STORY

THE CHARMED LIFE

By PAUL FEAKES

DR. H. LLOYD JONES stood at his dining-room window awaiting both his breakfast and the paper-boy, irritated and peevish because the rest of his world had not got going an hour earlier than usual just because he had had a sleepless night.

Not that that was the root cause of his irritability. The real reason was the fact that by some mischance the previous evening he had lost a phial of arsenic tablets. He had been called out in a hurry to a parlour-maid at Knoloch, the Ames's place in Avenue-road, and had taken with him a cardboard container in which there were, he was certain, six phials.

In the ordinary way he carried poisons in a locked metal box, but, as the case was urgent, he had not bothered with the box on this occasion. There had been no necessity to have recourse to the tablets, and on his return he found the container had fallen open in his overcoat pocket. Three phials were still in the container, two in the pocket and the other missing.

The phials were marked quite plainly; there was no danger of an adult mistaking the one he had lost. But all night long there had remained with him the fear that some youngster might have picked up the phial and imagined the tablets to be sweets, with fatal results. Anyway, he thought, the police notice would be in the morning newspapers. He could do no more than he had done. Perhaps already the confounded thing was comfortably down a drain somewhere.

Ah! Here was the paper-boy. No, the lad turning in at his gate had no papers. Perhaps—before the boy reached the door the doctor slipped open the side window of the bay, letting in the first flakes of snow on the icy blast of the north wind.

"What is it, young man?" he queried.

The boy turned to the voice, startled.

"Please, sir," he said, "Nurse McGhie says as she's gone to Mrs. Berkeley. An would you come at ten o'clock?"

The doctor smiled. "Right-o, sonny," he said.

That Mrs. Berkeley should be confined to-day amused the doctor. With every newspaper broadcasting to the world his exhibition of arrant carelessness. Nurse McGhie was the last person he would have chosen to have faced that morning. Nurse McGhie was 55, a gaunt, forbidding spinster with no great opinion of doctors in general and of Dr. H. Lloyd Jones in particular.

"They get the fee," was her dictum. "Let them be there when the baby is born and earn it."

And there she would have him, as he knew too well. At ten, twelve, two and four. And the babby, a first, would not arrive till eight or nine in the evening. Once before he knew her quite so well, he had expressed his dissatisfaction with the manner in which Nurse McGhie had taken a patient's temperature, whipped out his thermometer and taken it again himself. Once, and once only. After all, there is no harm in trying anything once.

* * *

Adolf Wiebster, sitting in the stall of the theatre besides Ames and his wife that evening, with the phial of arsenic tablets in a waistcoat pocket, might have trying anything once. Murder, for instance.

For Wiebster, genius of the vast Wiebster group of companies, believed implicitly in his star. He was forty-two, and his earliest memories were of the tenements of Harlem New York City. His very name he had borrowed from a shop sign. And, phenomenal as he knew the capabilities such a meteoric career demanded, he remained the egoist rather than the egotist. The luck had held so long, too long not to be relied upon without question.

"Mine's a charmed life," he had said to Ames, his lieutenant in a thousand deals, in more than one expansive moment. "I've had men up against me. Big men. But they all sell out too soon or hold on too long. It's just the way of things, I guess."

When Wiebster found in Evelyn, Ames's wife, the one woman in the world, his mind with its sure, brutal directness divined at once the crucial obstacle between him and his desire.

Not the fact that Evelyn was Ames's wife—to Wiebster the indulgence of a sense of loyalty was merely the creation of an imaginary difficulty. The trouble was her almost childlike honesty. Evelyn was the sort of woman who made her bargain with life and stuck to it. Had Walter Ames turned out a dipsomaniac instead of a decent husband, it would, Wiebster felt, have made not the faintest difference in her conduct.

He glanced up at the stage where the second act was nearing its close, thought what a fatuous ass the leading man looked with all that paint on his face, and yawned. Wiebster had little use for the play. It struck him as a colossal waste of time.

Even as he looked away, the stage dissolved from his view and in its place there came back the spacious hall-lounge of Ames's house, the light from the huge fire playing on the oak panelling and the polished parquet and the wide Indian rug, in the fringe of which he had found the phial where it had dropped from the doctor's overcoat, slung across a chair. Why had he been alone, waiting for Ames and Evelyn, at that very moment? Was it not proof that the gods were kind?

The curtain swung down on the second act. There were a couple of calls and the little party filed out to the bar.

"I got Fergusson's report on the Kiliki concession," said Ames over the drinks. "I was just nosing into it when you came."

Evelyn held up a hand in mock reproach. "Gentlemen," she said, "we are at the theatre and the City is far, far away."

Both men laughed.

"We'll go through it to-night," promised Wiebster, "as soon as this young lady has had the good manners to retire."

During the whole of the third act Wiebster fixed his face in an expression of rapt attention and ignored the stage completely. Incident followed incident, mounting towards climax and denouement, but his eyes saw nothing, and if his ears heard they conveyed no purport to his brain.

He was planning the suicide of Walter Ames—that night. At twelve Evelyn would leave the lounge for bed. She always did Ames would suggest a brandy, it was their customary nightcap for Wiebster's place was at Court Chambers, not a hundred yards up the road.

He had but to ask Ames to pop up to his study and fetch Fergusson's report. Ames would demur only to agree, providing Wiebster sent his chauffeur packing. It was a sort of fetish with Ames, that of not keeping servants hanging about out in the cold on a night like this. He would give in grudgingly, thus forcing Ames to be the first to quit the lounge.

Ames would have a fair way to go. Up a flight of stairs and down the long corridor to the little room overlooking the garden and back again. All Wiebster had to do was to powder one of the tiny tablets on a scrap of paper with his penknife, tip it into Ames's glass, and get out to the chauffeur. That he was later than Ames in returning was of no importance since he was later in starting.

Arsenic was colourless and tasteless. The police report in the papers had stated that there was enough poison in one of the tablet to cause instant death.

Once Ames had drained the fatal glass. Wiebster could take his time. First he would drop the phial beside the body. Then he would ring up this Dr. Jones. Good God, no. Jones was not his doctor. Why should he suddenly turn to Jones in an emergency? The old luck was sticking by him. It was little questions like that which tightened the hangman's noose.

He would have to rouse Evelyn. She would fly to Jones. For it was obvious that Jones had to be the doctor. When Jones found his phial had placed the means in a suicide's hands, he would make no more difficulties than professional etiquette demanded.

And of the reason, he would just hint. Ames had suddenly confessed to certain irregularities. If what he had said were correct, hundreds of thousands lost in quixotic gambles in European currencies. But Evelyn was not to worry. Wiebster would straighten out things. Poor Walter! If only he had not left him to go out to the chauffeur. And so on.

And in the fulness of time, by innuendo, as if reluctantly, he would make Evelyn aware of the overwhelming extent of her in-

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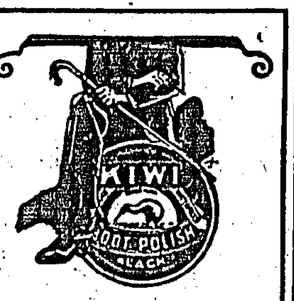

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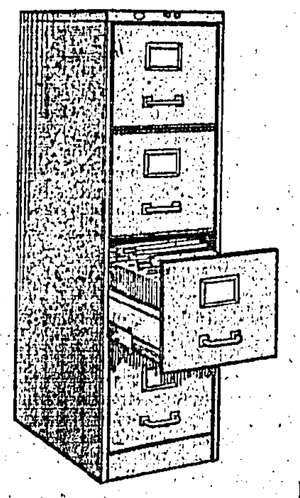
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ACCESSORIES MUST BE CAREFULLY CHOSEN

FOUNDATION GARMENT PAYS

THIS question of how many dresses should hang in your closet brings us to the subject of double-duty costumes. Usually a dress that is designed for two purposes ends by being suitable for none. It is much better sense to differentiate entirely between a dress for practical wear and one for social engagements, and not try to add any transforming gadgets to make an evening gown of a daytime dress. If you have a dancing or dinner or theatre date at the end of your working day take your evening costume to the office in a suitcase, and change if you are unable to go home first.

"Accessories help to change a costume." Over and over girls reiterate this statement. And they do. They must be carefully chosen and placed right but if you can have many dresses, they do cheer you up!

In apportioning their expenditures for other items in their wardrobes, business girls find that it pays to get a good girdle, corset or foundation garment.

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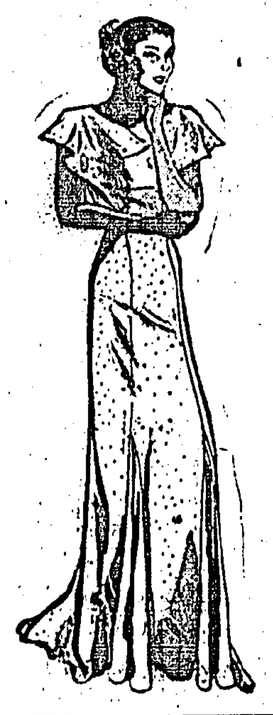
You can also freshen up old felt hats by following this method.

IRONING TAFFETAS AND RAYONS

FOR pressing rayons, acetates and taffetas, the iron must be comparatively cool. If moisture is desired, to set seams or to remove deep creases, a dry cloth should be spread between the wrong side of the fabric and the damp pressing cloth. Many such materials will spot or pucker if water or heat is applied directly; but they are beautiful and serviceable if properly handled.



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CAPES IN FASHION AGAIN

CAPES are again fashionable, though they definitely do not suit everyone. On the right person a cape can look the essence of smartness; but on the wrong one it is the last word in frumpiness—so take care!

An attractive cape ensemble in fine tweed was worn with a small hat turned right up in front off the face. This seemed to me the ideal hat to wear with a cape. A hat with a brim would give an ageing look, and that is to be avoided at all costs.

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A happy idea is the novel alternative to the bouquet for spring bridges. The "fall" of flowers suggests a waterfall or a torrent of blossoms, which are tied to the bride's left wrist and so leave her handfree.

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WORKING GIRLS' CLOTHES

Variety In Costume Important

IF you work in a profession or business that requires more or less of a uniform, you have special clothes problems. Variety in costume is just as important for your morale as for that of girls who can dress as they like. If your working costume is black or white you can get a bright-coloured coat with black or brown fur on it, and a brightcoloured hat to match. Be sure to chose a colour you will not tire of quickly, for you will find your clothes will not wear out as quickly, and you will want them on conservative lines so they will not go out of fashion too soon. And your evening costumes should be in colour too.

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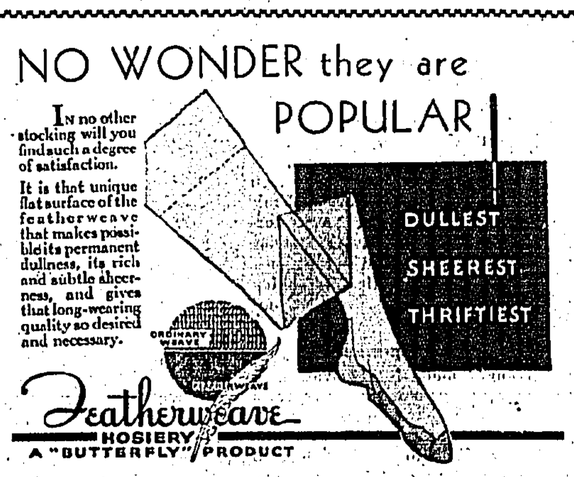

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HUMPHRIES BEATS GAUNT IN THE RING

LONGER REACH TELLS TALE

H. K. AREA BOXING

The semi-final round of the Hong Kong Area Individual Boxing Championships (Novices) was held at Shamshuipo Camp yesterday afternoon, under ideal weather conditions. There were nine bouts, each of three two-minute rounds' duration.

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Results were as follow:

Featherweight:

Humphries (R.W.F.) beat Gaunt (E. Lancs). ....

Ross (R.W.F.) beat Broome (E. Lancs).

Taylor (R.W.F.) beat Wynne (R.W.F.).

Raven (R.W.F.) beat Jenkins (R.W.F.).

Lightweight:

Quinn (E. Lancs) beat Litchfield (E. Lancs).

Jones (R.W.F.) beat Wright (R.W.F.).

Powell (R.W.F.) beat Bray (R.W.F.).

Ryan (R.W.F.) beat Wilkins (R.W.F.).

Lightweight (Open):

Quilter (E. Lancs) beat Owens (R.W.F.).

CRAIGENGOWER WHIST DRIVE

The fortnightly whist drive of the Craigengower Cricket Club took place in the Club-room last night. Two winners were (ladies) Mrs. Rhodes and Mrs. Woods; and (gentlemen) Mr. Benoy and Mr. Rhodes.

Football Tables

FIRST DIVISION

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
South China 'A'	21	17	1	3	61	19	37
Club	21	9	4	8	44	39	26
Recreio	20	10	6	4	55	42	24
Police	19	9	4	6	48	31	24
South China 'B'	20	9	7	4	44	43	22
Lincolns	22	10	10	2	45	44	22
Navy	21	8	8	5	39	30	21
Athletic	18	7	4	7	49	31	21
Fusiliers	18	6	6	6	37	32	18
Artillery	21	6	13	2	34	66	14
St. Joseph's	19	5	11	3	24	49	13
East Lancs	20	4	11	5	30	44	13
Kowloon	24	2	17	5	26	62	9

SECOND DIVISION

Lincolns	19	18	1	0	65	21	36
East Lancs	21	16	4	1	66	19	33
Navy	21	13	6	2	64	39	28
Engineers	18	9	7	2	41	30	20
South China	18	8	7	3	42	34	19
Fusiliers	18	7	7	4	45	34	18
Artillery	19	7	10	2	34	39	16
Athletic	17	7	9	1	30	42	15
Club	22	5	12	5	39	63	15
Eastern	20	7	12	1	35	55	15
University	18	4	13	1	31	45	9
Kowloon	19	2	15	2	11	76	6

THIRD DIVISION

East Lancs	20	16	2	2	82	22	34
Lincolns	20	13	4	3	64	25	29
R.A.S.C.	20	13	5	2	49	38	28
R.A.M.C.	20	11	6	3	42	35	25
Fusiliers	18	11	6	1	54	32	23
Air Force	20	8	8	4	35	37	20
Recreio	19	7	9	3	46	43	17
R.A.O.C.	19	7	12	0	39	48	14
R.E.	20	5	13	2	22	56	12
Railway	19	3	14	2	23	78	8
Police	20	3	15	2	19	55	8

FUSILIERS HELD IN FIRST DIVISION

ANOTHER ROUSING DISPLAY BY ROWLANDS

A LUCKY shot from the wing, which Rowlands misjudged, enabled the East Lancs to draw with the Fusiliers in their First Division soccer encounter on the Kowloon ground yesterday, both teams scoring once only.

The game was quite good, though of the "end of the season" variety; both teams played up very well, but the majority of the movements were very lethargic.

Play during most of the game was confined to mid-field, and, during the first half, neither of the goalkeepers were much bothered. Rowlands gave a very fine exhibition of goalkeeping when the ball came in his direction, his anticipation being again wonderful. Representative honours are undoubtedly in store for this newcomer to local football.

Both the Fusiliers backs played very well, but Wheeler was outstanding, playing a very cool, hard game and clearing well.

The half-backs played well together; they were never far behind the forwards and were quick to snap up any loose balls. Keneghan played a clever game and distributed well.

Talbot was the pick of the forwards; he played a very tricky game, but his tendency to pass along the wing to Roberts lost many chances as the East Lancs defence were quick to adopt the "one-back game" with the result that Roberts was continually being pulled up for off-side. Dennis missed a few chances through hurried kicking, but, on the whole, played a good game—he kept the forwards together and fed his wings well.

The inside men were good, particularly Harrison who had bad luck on quite a number of occasions.

Fine Defence

The star men in the East Lancs side were Swain and Gorman, in the defence. They played very well, both clearing well, and, showing perfect understanding with each other, they were always at ease with the "one-back game" and adjusted their play accordingly whenever the Fusiliers became dangerous.

Oxford played a good game, and, whilst he was not so "stylish" as the R.W.F. goalkeeper, he was equally as safe and saved some good shots.

The forwards played excellently, Sandford, recently promoted from the Third Division eleven, more than merited his inclusion in the premier eleven and, whilst he did not score, he had some excellent attempts and was unlucky in not being able to convert them.

Carroll, another recent promotion, played well at centre-half, he distributed well and was well worth a trial in the First Division team.

Dennis Scrapes Upright

The Fusiliers went through from the kick-off, Roberts sending in for Dennis to scrape the upright with an excellent drive from about 12 yards. From the kick out the ball went out to Carroll who sent Tuley away, but Wheeler robbed and cleared.

Roberts missed a glorious opportunity of scoring some five minutes after the game had started when he ran down the field and out in, beating Swain and Oxford, who ran out to meet him, but with an open goal, he pushed the ball ahead a little too far and it trickled over the line before he could reach it.

Play throughout the remainder of the first half was a ding-dong mid-field battle, and half time arrived with the score sheet blank.

Fusiliers Open Scoring

The Fusiliers opened the scoring two minutes after the resumption when Hughes took the ball down the wing and centred for Dennis to beat Oxford with a well-placed shot to the roof of the net.

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G. R. M. Ricketts, left, entered the Final of the Colony Lawn Tennis Singles Championship on Thursday when he beat Ho Ka Lau by the odd set. (King's Studio).

ENGINEERS SCORE EIGHT TIMES

Kowloon Swamped By Shield Champions

HOWLETT CLAIMS THREE GOALS

Kowloon were no match for the Engineers in their Second Division soccer encounter at Kowloon yesterday, the soldiers scoring eight times without reply.

High as the score was, it flattered Kowloon for the Junior Shield Champions could just as easily have recorded double figures. They positively played rings round Kowloon and scored at will; more goals were thrown away than were actually scored, including a penalty which Dudley directed wide of the net.

Kowloon again had difficulty in turning out an eleven, MacNider eventually turning out in goal.

The first goal was scored after 10 minutes play, and was the result of a very fine movement. Hurst sent out to Buden who passed to his outside man, Callard, the latter passing across the goalmouth for Buden and Darby to allow the ball to pass across to Howlett who scored with ease. A few minutes later Boyling placed the ball at Howlett's feet, the latter again placing the ball in the bottom left corner.

Glut Of Goals

During this time the Engineers had kept the civilians penned continually in their own half, and it was not long before they scored their third goal, McNider clearing from a goal-kick for Buden to score with a "first-timer." Five minutes from half-time the Engineers scored their fourth goal, Hurst taking a shot from 30 yards out. Just before half time Buden placed the ball of Derby's foot for the latter to score the fifth goal.

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EASTERN RUN RIOT

University Concede Eight Goals

Eastern had an easy task in trouncing the University eleven on the Club ground yesterday to the tune of eight goals to nil in their Second Division soccer match.

The University were, however, one man short, Blake being unable to turn out at the last minute. Nevertheless, Eastern were the superior team and for the majority of the time were raiding the University goal.

Eastern:—Ng Chi-nam; Lai Ting-chol, Fung Yui-way; Ho Chi-yeung, Lau Kim-fai, Ng Ying-kay; Kwok Ying-wai, Fung Choi-po, Cheng Sui-Hong, M. Sabhan and Sung Ling-sing.

University:—Lim; K. Y. Lee, K. S. Low; W. N. Tan, G. H. Goic, N. Gorachenko; H. S. Tan, K. L. Yong, K. L. Goon and J. H. Too.

RYDER CUP SELECTION COMMITTEE

The Professional Golfers' Association has selected the following professionals to act at the selection committee for the British Ryder Cup team to meet U.S.A. in September:—W. B. Smith (chairman), H. C. Kinch, J. Bradbeer, Rowland Jones, R. McKenzie, George Oke.

RECREIO BOWLS TRIUMPH

Kowloon Docks Lost At King's Park

FOUR-RINK FRIENDLY GAME

The Club de Recreio defeated the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club by 19 shots in their friendly lawn bowls match at King's Park yesterday.

The scores were:—

Recreio		K.D.R.C.	
L. T. Silva		V. Hast	
F. X. Soares		C. Humble	
C. Marques		G. Ramsay	
H. A. Alves (Skip)	19	F. Cullen (Skip)	20
J. Noronha		T. Coleman	
J. M. S. Rozorio		J. Robinson	
J. G. Ozorio		R. Lapsley	
C. G. Silva (Skip)	27	H. G. Cooper (Skip)	17
A. A. Remedios		J. Lindsay	
J. Ribeiro		J. Brewin	
L. F. Xavier		J. McLaggen	
T. Ribeira (Skip)	21	G. Greig (Skip)	9
F. Xavier		R. Morrison	
C. R. Pereira		P. B. Parkes	
C. N. Basto		J. Kempton	
F. X. Silva (Skip)	20	J. McKelvie (Skip)	22
Total	87		68

In the Inter-Club Bowls Match played at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club last Saturday the name Wong was inadvertently reported instead of E. Gardiner.

CLUB RALLY TO SECURE BOTH POINTS

Naval Superiority In Opening Half

HOWE'S OPPORTUNISM

The Hong Kong Football Club kept themselves in the running for 'runners-up' yesterday when, they took full points from the Navy in their First Division soccer fixture on the latter's ground at Causeway Bay. After being a goal down in the first half they won by the odd goal in five.

The Club forwards worked better together than their opponents and were well worth the victory, being more dangerous near the goal.

The Club started with 10 men and were finding it very difficult to suppress the eager Navy forwards. After 10 minutes Strange turned up and turned out at left-half, the versatile Nicholls taking the absent Fowler's place at outside-right.

Howe's Opportunism

Strange made his arrival conspicuous by blocking a drive from Kiley right on the goal-line, and, Howe getting the ball on the half-way line, ran down the field to score the opening goal. This was entirely against the run of play and due to Howe's opportunism.

It was not long before the Navy equalised. Baxter took the ball down his wing, centred, and Cannel headed a perfect goal. The play was all in favour of the Navy at this period, and, following a corner by Skinner, Constable netted after Rodger had stopped a point blank drive from Kiley. Just

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INTERMEDIATE LINE TAKES HONOURS

MOSS EXCELS IN NEW POSITION

CHINESE VERY DISAPPOINTING

IN their return Premier League soccer fixture with South China "B" at Caroline Hill yesterday, the Policy fully avenged last Saturday's Shield defeat, at the same time greatly enhancing their chances for the League runners-up position, winning a one-sided game by five clear goals, all of which were scored in the first half.

The usually lively Chinese forwards were completely hottled up by a magnificent Police intermediate line, and the re-organised Police forwards, ably led by Green, were in splendid fettle.

Moss, who took over the inside-left berth, was the best forward on the field, his speed and ball control enabling him to beat the Chinese defence with ease. He and Green worked perfectly together, and had the full support of the remaining forwards and halves in all their moves.

Bone gave another steady performance, playing behind the other forwards, and delighting with some very fine passes to Tommy Pile, whose speed always carried him past a bewildered defence.

The halves were, as usual, the mainstay of the attack, blocking every move attempted by South China's forwards, and continually feeding the forwards with useful passes. Their positioning and general constructive play was exceptionally sound, and all three players, Brooks, Gough and Parker, gave a flawless exhibition of clever football.

The defence, with Johnston playing at left-back in place of the injured Chris Pile, was rarely bothered, and when, on the very few occasions that the Chinese did get past the halves, quickly broke up the move with prompt tackling and first-time kicking.

Chinese Disappoint

South China "B" gave what was probably their worst display of the season. They were at fault in every department, some atrociously weak kicking and passing being their major failure, a failure which has lost them any hopes of gaining the second position in the League.

Wong Wah-kai had little or no chance against the goals registered against him, but on other occasions he fumbled badly, and at no time appeared safe. His task was rendered even more difficult by the shakiness of Lee Kam and Yu Hing-yuen, two backs who showed complete lack of understanding and positioning, and whose only remedy when hard-pressed was to put out for a corner.

Henry Young Excels

Henry Young worked very hard, opening at left-half, and going over to right-half in the second period. He retrived many mistakes made by other defenders, and it was entirely due to his sound work and fearless tackling that the score was not higher.

Lim Tak-po opened well, but later faded right out of the picture, and it was seldom that one of his ill-directed passes reached their man, while Yeung Chi-cheung was hopelessly at sea, and was more of a hindrance than a help.

The forwards saw little of the ball, and when they did get a chance to do something, slowness and rank bad inter-passing ruined the move almost before it had commenced.

Two Poor Wingers

Both wingers had an 'off' day, and, although they did receive several promising chances, wasted them all. Tsang King-kee tried hard to get the line in action, but found himself no match for the burly Gough and the robust tackling of Johnston and Blackburn. Lai

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EAST LANCS TROUNCE SOUTH CHINA

Snap Goals Early In Game Decide The Issue

In a fast and exciting Second Division soccer encounter on the Chatham Road Ground yesterday the East Lancs defeated the South China juniors by 4 goals to 1.

The Lancs fully deserved their win, displaying splendid combination and team spirit throughout.

The game opened with a series of determined attacks by the Lancs, and before the Chinese had had a chance to settle down, Radcliffe had placed his side in the lead with a low shot in the corner. Within five minutes, following splendid individual movements, both Radcliffe and Harwood had netted goals. South China were completely outclassed during this period, and could do nothing right, and five minutes later were further in arears, Harwood sending in a curling shot that went in the top corner.

Play favoured South China during the opening exchanges of the second half, and Chow Kwan-kwong, following a miskick by Garswood, netted their only goal.

E. Lancs:—Harmsworth; Garswood, Steele; Walkden, Bowater, Eckersly; Swain, Thorpe, Harwood, Radcliffe, Mather.

S. China:—Lee Chuen; Sang Chung-tak, Cheong Ying-chung; Mok Sang, Ho Chui-wing, Won Chi-kok; Chow Kwan-kwang, Lee Wing-on, Hui Yui-kwan, Kwok Yau-loi and Ip Yun-po.

MEDICALS HOLD FUSILIERS

Late Goal By Slater Saves Point

VERY EVEN ENCOUNTER

At King's Park yesterday the Medicals held the Fusiliers to a draw in their Third Division soccer encounter, both teams scoring once.

Playing throughout the 70 minutes was very even, a very strong end-to-end wind causing a lot of miskicking and over-running of the ball.

Following a run down, Humphries opened the score for the Fusiliers when, receiving a cross shot from Morgan, he sent in a first-time drive to find the net.

Each team had its periods of attack and defence, erratic shooting by the Fusilier forwards failing to send the score further ahead.

Following the resumption, the Medicals, taking advantage of playing with the wind, soon equalised through Slater, who, in a melee round the goalmouth, sent in a feeble shot which the unsighted Stride failed to reach.

KOWLOON'S PLUCKY DISPLAY

Nine Men Perform Creditably

ATHLETIC SCORE FIVE

The Chinese Athletic easily took both points from the Kowloon team in their First Division soccer encounter on the Club ground yesterday, winning by 5 goals to 1.

The Kowloon men, however, had a heavy handicap in that they could only produce nine men for the game. This was indeed a great setback, especially when playing against a fast Chinese team, but credit is due to these nine willing players, who, throughout a fast encounter with the odds against them, played a remarkably good game.

From the outset the Athletic eleven left little to chance and were soon worrying the Kowloon defence with a series of speedy raids.

Boyes, the Kowloon goalkeeper, undoubtedly saved the team from a much heavier defeat with his brilliant display, often clearing what appeared to be almost certain goals. The goals that did get past him were indeed good ones.

Ball Bursts

The most remarkable goal of the match was the Athletic's third, which, taken from a corner kick, swerved nicely, struck the upright and bounced into the goal giving the surprised Boyes little chance of saving. Much to the surprise of everybody, when the referee went to place the ball ready for the re-start it was found to have burst!

From the start of the game the Athletic made desperate strides towards the Kowloon goal, and within the first five minutes they had scored their first goal, through Au Ping Ming, from close quarters, just after Boyes had endeavoured to throw the ball clear.

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Yesterday's Results

FIRST DIVISION

E. LANCS	1	FUSILIERS	1
S. CHINA 'B'	0	POLICE	5
ATHLETIC	5	KOWLOON	1
NAVY	2	CLUB	2

SECOND DIVISION

KOWLOON	0	ENGINEERS	8
UNIVERSITY	0	EASTERN	8
E. LANCS	4	S. CHINA	1
FUSILIERS	6	CLUB	1

THIRD DIVISION

MEDICALS	1	FUSILIERS	1

YESTERDAY'S GOALSCORERS

FIRST DIVISION

Moss (Police)	2
Green (Police)	2
Au Ping Ming (Athletic)	2
Howe (Club)	2
Smith (E. Lancs)	1
Dennis (Fusiliers)	1
Elliott (Club)	1
Cannel (Navy)	1
Constable (Navy)	1
Tang Kwong Sum (Athletic)	1
Yeung Kam Po (Athletic)	1
Li Hung Ching (Athletic)	1
Knox (Kowloon)	1
Pile T. (Police)	1

SECOND DIVISION

Sung Ling Sing (Eastern)	3
Howlett (Engineers)	3
Bumster (Fusiliers)	3
Evans (Fusiliers)	3
Radcliffe (East Lancs)	2
Harwood (East Lancs)	2
Hurst (Engineers)	2
Fung Choi-po (Eastern)	2
Budden (Engineers)	1
Darby (Engineers)	1
Callard (Engineers)	1
Kwok Ying-wai (Eastern)	1
Cheung Siu-hong (Eastern)	1
Sabhan (Eastern)	1
Chow Kwan-kwang (S. China)	1
Williams (Club)	1

THIRD DIVISION

Humphreys (Fusiliers)	1
Slater (Medicals)	1

Keen competition marked the Royal Artillery athletic meeting at Sookunpoo last Tuesday. (King's Studio).

A group photograph taken at the official closing of the badminton season at Talkoo on Thursday night when the Champions of the three leagues played the Rest. (King's Studio).

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HAPPY VALLEY BEAT KOWLOON FOR GOLF "ASHES"

WIN BY ONE POINT IN BI-ANNUAL EVENT

MORNING LEAD RETAINED BY SQUARING FOURSOMES

In the bi-annual match between the Happy Valley and Kowloon Golf Clubs, played over the Kowloon course, on Friday, the Valley players were successful by one point, with a total score of 17¾ to Kowloon's total of 16¼.

After the morning round, the Valley total was 9¼ to Kowloon's 8¼ and the visitors squared the fourball matches in the afternoon.

"Kowloon Valley Ashes"

This year, a trophy, subscribed by members of the Happy Valley Club and the Kowloon Club, was up for competition, and the Happy Valley players are to be congratulated on winning the "Kowloon-Valley Ashes."

The following were the results:—

SINGLES

Happy Valley		Kowloon	
D. S. Edwards	1	R. K. Collings	¼
K. S. Robertson	1	D. C. Wilson	0
A. MacKellar	1	W. Taylor	¼
J. J. King	0	A. J. Dennis	1
J. Macknight	0	H. H. Mundy	1
P. Morrison	1¼	A. L. Enstman	0
A. C. I. Bowker	½	J. D. Thomson	½
H. Hampton	1	G. Milne	0
W. S. Hillier	1	W. M. Groves	0
A. D. Humphreys	1	R. Henderson	0
A. O. Brawn	0	F. C. Barry	1
J. Shepherd	0	W. C. Simpson	1
G. M. Hargreaves	¼	G. P. Murphy	1
T. D. Paton	¼	W. Ahern	1
H. T. Buxton	1	T. Seddon	0
A. Brooksbank	0	D. Parsons	1
Total Singles	9¼		8¼

FOURSOMES

Edward & Robertson	1	Collings & Wilson	1
MacKellar & King	0	Taylor & Dennis	2
Macknight & Morrison	2	Mundy & Enstman	0
Bowker & Hampton	0	Thomson & Milne	2
Hillier & Humphreys	2	Groves & Henderson	0
Brawn & Shepherd	2½	Barry & Simpson	0
Hargreaves & Paton	1	Murphy & Ahern	1
Buxton & Brooksbank	0	Seddon & Parsons	2¼
Total Fourballs	8½		8½
Add Total Singles	9¼		8¼
Grand Total	17¾		16¼

MAMAK CHAMPIONS TO MEET REST

To-day's Encounter At Mongkok

A very fast and interesting game should be seen to-day on the Police Training School Ground at 4.30 p.m. when the Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club, champions of the Mamak Hockey Tournament, meet a team chosen from the rest of the clubs.

The Rest are a very formidable side and should fully extend the champions. Oliveira, who played such an outstanding game against the Shanghai Germans, will occupy the pivot position and G Singh will find him hard to shake off.

Senior (R.A.S.C.) will lead the Rest forwards, supported by Woods (Engineers) and Lt. Birch (H.M.S. Parthian).

The teams are as follows:

K.I.T.C.:—Ramzan; Karnail Singh (Capt.), Kishen Singh; Noronha, Tara Singh, Mohinder Singh; H. Singh, J. Noronha, G. Singh, Pinto, and Souza.

The Rest:—A. E. P. Guest (St. Andrew's) (Captain); P. Naidu (Kowloon United) and Sig. Martin (Signals); E. A. Clayton (H.M.S. Medway), L Oliveira (University) and H. Parker (Police); P. Whitley (C.B.A.), Spr. Woods (Engineers), W. O. Senior (R.A.S.C.), Lt. Birch (H.M.S. Parthian) and Sarnagat Singh (Radio).

Reserves:— Gough (Police), Gnr. Harris (Artillery) and McGahan (Engineers).

L/Cpl. Yeomans (Lincolns) and Spr. Brown (Engineers) will referee.

BOXING

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In the Featherweight division, a good fight was witnessed between Pte Gaunt (2/E. Lancs) and Fus. Humphries (R.W.F.), the latter winning chiefly by reason of his longer reach. Gaunt put up a sturdy front throughout, and had it not been for the slight advantage possessed by his opponent the result might have been different.

The outstanding fight of the evening, however, was the lightweight bout between Dr. Major Quilter, (2/E. Lancs) and Fus. Owens, (R.W.F.). Both men were very evenly matched, but the former showed a greater knowledge of ring-craft and managed to register a win by what must have been a very small margin of points.

The loser had the consolation of knowing that he was matched against probably the most accomplished man of his weight in the Tournament.

POMPEY WINS

EIGHT GOALS FOR ARSENAL AT HIGHBURY

DONCASTER LOSE AT HOME

CHARLTON FALTER

London, Yesterday.

Many surprises featured the Good Friday home soccer programme yesterday.

Manchester City were swept off their feet in their home fixture against Portsmouth, while the Arsenal and Sunderland gained dual points in the championship race.

In the Second Division the Cottagers ran riot against Sheffield United. Doncaster came a third in their home fixture against Rotherham, the visitors winning by 5 goals to 3. Tranmere, however, also dropped points at Mansfield.

Aldershot surprised even their most ardent supporters by beating Charlton, while Reading took a step nearer promotion as the result of a home win over Coventry.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	8	Middlesboro'	0
Aston Villa	1	Huddersfield	1
Chelsea	4	Wolves	2
Grimsby	3	Leicester	1
Leeds	1	Birmingham	1
Liverpool	5	Stoke	0
Man'ter C.	2	Portsmouth	4
Sun'land	3	Preston	1
Tot'ham	1	Blackburn	0

SECOND DIVISION

Blackpool	3	West Ham	2
Bolton	1	Swansea	0
Brent'd	1	Bradford	0
Burnley	4	Oldham	2
Bury	0	Newcastle	2
Fulham	7	Sheffield U.	2
Norwich	3	Hull	0
Notts F.	1	Plymouth	3
Port Vale	5	Notts C.	3

THIRD DIVISION (North)

Carlisle	0	Rochdale	0
Chester	2	Crewe	2
Chesterfield	1	Wrexham	4
Doncaster	3	Rotherham	5
Gateshead	2	York City	1
Lincoln	6	Barrow	0
Mansfield	4	Tranmere	2
N. Brighton	1	Stockport	2
Southport	1	Hartlepools	1

THIRD DIVISION (South)

Aldershot	3	Charlton	2
Brighton	2	Southend	2
Bristol C.	2	Bournemouth	3
Cardiff	4	Bristol R.	1
Clapton	2	Gillingham	2
Crystal P.	7	Swindon	0
Millwall	0	Northampton	1
Newport	2	Luton	4
Qn's P.R.	5	Torquay	1
Reading	2	Coventry	0
Watford	0	Exeter	1

(Yesterday's results are on Page 18)

FRED PERRY TO RETAIN STATUS

England Must Win Cup In Jubilee Year

GRATITUDE TO L.T.A.

New York, Yesterday.

"They may say of me, 'you have been mucking around a lot and we don't want you,' but until they do I will remain an amateur," said Fred Perry in the course of an interview confirming his intention to play in the 1935 Davies Cup series.

He said that he had almost signed a film contract, but could not do it as he did not want be a professional, knowing that if he turned the Davis Cup would be gone from England. He, therefore, thought it was his duty as an Englishman to help defend it. The Lawn Tennis Association had been very good to him, he added, and the least he could give them in return was loyalty; besides it was the King's Jubilee Year, and he believed England could hold the Cup if he was in the team.

He said that his engagement to the film actress, Miss Mary Lawson, was off, but he would talk to her as soon as he got home. He is leaving for England on Monday.—Reuter.

HIGH SCORING IN NATIONAL LEAGUE BASEBALL SERIES

PHILLIES NOSE OUT DODGERS

JIMMY FOXX MAKES FIRST CIRCUIT CLOUT

New York, Friday.

One of the biggest baseball scores in the opening matches of the 1935 National League season was witnessed when Philadelphia Phillies nosed out Brooklyn Dodgers, after 10 innings, the former recording 10 runs against the latter's nine, Camilli, of the Phillies, being responsible for two home-runs.

In the American League Jimmy Foxx, of the Athletics, hit his first circuit clout of the season against the Senators.

The Cardinals just nosed out the Cubs in their National League clash, Paul Dean, one of the two famous Dean brothers, blanking the visitors and Joe Medwick hitting his first homer of the season.

Scores, as cabled by Reuter, were:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston	0	8	0
Johnny Broaca pitched.			
New York	4	7	0
Chicago	4	12	0
Radcliff hit a homer.			
Detroit	5	13	0
Philadelphia	5	10	0
Jimmy Foxx hit a homer.			
Washington	6	11	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn	9	11	1
Boyle, Frey, and Leslie hit homers.			
Philadelphia	10	16	2
Camilli (2), Watkins, and J. Moore hit homers.			
St. Louis	1	5	1
Chicago	0	8	0
Paul Dean pitched, Joe Medwick hit a homer.			
Cincinnatti	9	14	0
Pittsburgh	4	9	2

CARDINALS LOSE TO PIRATES

Byblanton Makes Fine Pitching Debut

TIGERS BEATEN IN U.S. BASEBALL

New York, Yesterday.

Cyblanton, a newcomer to major league baseball, blanked St. Louis Cardinals, world champions, yesterday to give Pittsburgh Pirates victory by a 3 to 0 margin.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

National League

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0	1	0
Cyblanton pitched.			
Pittsburgh	3	12	2
Brooklyn	4	11	2
Boston	2	9	0
Brooklyn	4	6	0
Danny Taylor hit a homer.			
Boston	2	8	3
New York	7	12	3
Leiber hit a homer.			
Philadelphia	18	23	2
Camilli (2) and George Watkins hit homers.			
Cincinnatti	4	7	0
Gilly Campbell hit a homer.			
Chicago	0	8	0
Si Johnson pitched.			
American League			
Chicago	3	8	0
Detroit	2	6	1
Gehringer hit a homer.			
Philadelphia	6	9	1
Wally Moses and Bob Johnson hit homers.			
New York	5	11	1
Boston	10	14	0
Six runs were scored in the seventh inning.			
Washington	4	10	2

Sunday Herald Sports Diary

TO-DAY

Football—*Sunday Herald* Cup Competition:—
Portugal v. China
(Club Ground, 4.15 p.m.
Second Division:—
Royal Welch Fusiliers v. Royal Artillery
South China v. Royal Engineers (3.15 p.m.
Third Division:—
R.A.O.C. v. Royal Welch Fusiliers (3.15 p.m.)
Hockey.—Mamak Tournament
Kowloon Indians v. Rest
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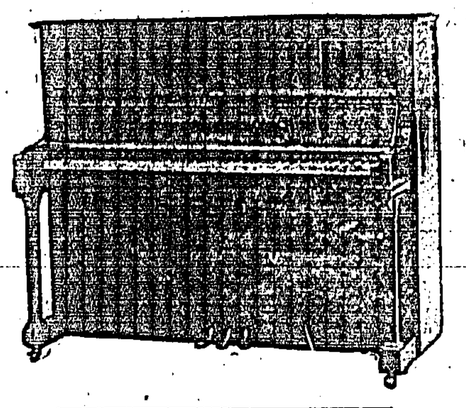

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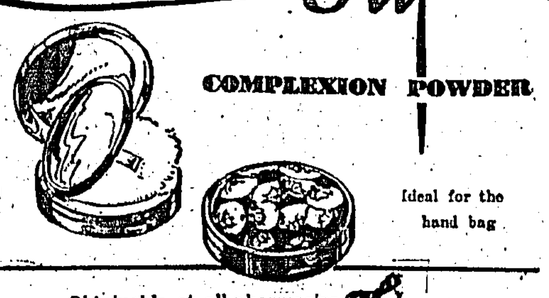

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TROUBLES FOR ROOSEVELT

Time Of Blind Faith Has Passed

Scrutiny And Examination Now Beginning

(By DOUGLAS WILLIAMS)

HALF-WAY through his Presidential term Mr. Roosevelt is encountering difficulties which, while not dangerously serious at present, clearly indicate troublous times ahead.

They are problems which cannot be laughed off with his customary geniality or dissipated by that political legerdemain for which he is justly so famous.

In previous sessions of Congress the President has had a "rubber-stamp" approval of practically all his proposals. He had only to recommend and the measure was assured of prompt passage—in some cases Congress did not even read it until it had voted approval.

Too Big Majority

To many the present development may come as a surprise. The whole world was astonished last November at the sweeping endorsement given by the American electorate to the Administration. But more astute observers at that time predicted that the mere size of the President's majority in both Houses would of itself be a potential menace. It was realised that the "honeymoon" epoch of the Administration was over and that the top-heavy majorities would prove embarrassing.

Moreover, the acute economic emergency that had induced the people to place blind faith in their President—as a drowning man does in his rescuer—was rapidly passing. With some of their urgent dangers removed, at least temporarily, people are once again beginning to think, to scrutinise, and to examine.

The President has, it is true, complete control over the House of Representatives, but even there members are becoming restive under sharp complaints from their home electors that they are following a lead too blindly, and are failing adequately to fulfil their functions as a deliberative body. They also contemplate with envy the more independent course of the Senate, where Opposition members and also some Democrats insist on carefully scanning legislative proposals thrust at them, and of revising measures when they think fit.

Undercurrents

All this reflects of present more an under-current of public opinion than any open criticism in the country at large, and the fact remains that the President personally is still largely immune from criticism by the people.

His experience in this respect since he entered the White House is without precedent. He has borne a charmed life, and, despite sporadic attacks that have been made on some of his henchmen, there has never been any disposition to attack him personally even on the part of those who are known to feel bitterly opposed to him and his policies. Probably the real reason is because these critics feel that any such personal attack would be unpopular and might recoil on its authors. The people still feel that the President is doing his best.

Sharp Rift With Labour

Nevertheless, there have been several large-sized straws latterly that point the direction of the wind. The recent defeat on the World Court issue, which the President had personally strongly supported, was significant, while the opposition now being offered by the Senate to the unlimited power requested by Mr. Roosevelt in his Work Relief Bill (involving a sum no less than $4,800,000,000) and the social security measure must also be taken into consideration. Both these measures threaten to become bogged down in a morass of confusion and delay that will temper their benefits unless the President steps in personally to the rescue.

A sharp rift also developed between the President and organised labour, as represented by the American Federation of Labour. It sprang originally from Mr. Roosevelt's approval of certain N.R.A. codes, especially those covering the cigarette and motor-car industries, which Labour claimed were not as extensive in terms of work and wages as it desired.

President Veers Right

Another criticism by the Federation is that in his Work Relief Bill the President, as it believes, proposes to employ labour at less than the prevailing wage—a plan which the Federation holds will cause a lowering of wage scales generally.

Efforts are being made to patch up these differences, but some close observers are sceptical of their success. The cleavage is deep, and the basic fact appears to remain that the President has veered to the Right and is becoming more Conservative in thought and policy.

Possibly he has decided that his previous "Leftist" tendencies frightened capital, and that money will not circulate through normal business and financial channels so long as confidence is lacking on the part of bankers and industrialists. Such lack of confidence is seemingly the reason for the continued paralysis of the heavy industries—a factor largely responsible for the present unemployment figure of at least 10,000,000.

Within his own party, too, certain political dangers confront him. Some Conservative Democrats have never had confidence in the President, and their defection at a future date may cause a split which would cut heavily into the traditionally Conservative South—always the rock-bed of the party's national strength since the days of the Civil War.

Slackening Enthusiasm

Despite all these unfavourable aspects, the disaffection, as already stated, so far developed is symptomatic rather than imminently menacing. Events alone will disclose how successfully Mr. Roosevelt will be able to keep the complete control he has enjoyed so long over Congress. It is, after all, normal for a President to have opposition to cope with, and it will be interesting to watch how the President will meet the test of adversity.

One thing is assured, and that is that there has been a definite slackening of the tempo of enthusiasm which formerly kept the New Deal consistently on the advance. There is a feeling of uncertainty which should be corrected before it is allowed to spread and increase.

Much comment was aroused in newspaper circles in Washington recently by a certain asperity noticeable for the first time in the President's bi-weekly meetings with the Press, which have been noticed since their inception for their atmosphere of friendly intimacy.

President's Displeasure

In the plainest language, President Roosevelt asked those present to refrain from drawing deductions when he declined to answer questions regarding legislative matters pending before Congress. He added that such deductions had in the past been 99 per cent. wrong.

The request was made forcibly, and the correspondents were somewhat taken aback by the demonstration of Presidential displeasure. Instead of the usual banter, the conference ended in silence.

The incident was taken as proof of the President's present difficulty in dealing with a dilatory and argumentative Senate, and his impatience that so little has been achieved in legislation after two months of the strongest Democratic Congress in history.

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Pardon, Mr. Ripley

Arabia claims that she has no lunatic asylums. The explanation is believed to be that there are nomad people there.

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R. I. P.

And then there was the husband who told his wife that the thing was as plain as the nose on her face.

* * *

Defined

And the plural of whim is women.

* * *

BIT OF A CHANGE

It is reported that an alarm raised by a cat was responsible for saving four lives in a fire at Newbury, Berks. In this case, these mews make news.....

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Experiment With Time

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Fully Occupied

Then there was the man who was so busy that the only exercise he had time for was his sleep-walking.

QUITE

It is possible, says a writer, to tell a man's character from the way he walks. Ask any motorist.

* * *

Modern Version

He who hesitates is bossed.

* * *

NOW LAUGH

I see a film crooner gets £70,000 a year. I know this isn't a joke—but it is when you think that *you* get a year for working.

* * *

Another Libel

Football is said to have originated in Scotland. This explains the free kicks.

* * *

"Party For U.S. Gaolbirds' Children"

Let's hope they'll all come clean.

* * *

"Woman As Bailiff"

Yet what saith the proverb—Woman's work is never dun.

* * *

Time, Please

The man whose sight is blurred, says a physician, needs glasses.

Perhaps he needs fewer glasses!

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For The Children

Hostess: "Don't you think you've had enough cake, Willie?"

Willie: "Yes, I *think* I have, but I don't feel I have."

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EVENING SERVICE FROM ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL
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10.30-11.30 a.m.— A Relay of the Service from the Union Church.

Easter Service
22nd Anniversary
Preacher: The Rev. E. G. Powell
Order of Service

Voluntary.
Hymn—"The Easter Hymn."
Prayer.
Lord's Prayer.
Scripture Reading.
Hymn—"The Day of Resurrection."
Prayer.
Solo:—"I Know that my Redeemer Liveth" by Mrs. Snowden-Jones (Soprano).
Offertory and Offertory Prayer.
Hymn—"The Strife is O'er."
Sermon.
Hymn—"Crown him with many crowns."
National Anthem Benediction.

11.30-12 noon.—Chinese Recorded Music.

12-12.45 p.m.—A Relay of the Service from the Hop Yat Church (Chinese).

12.45-2.30 p.m.—European Recorded Music.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

Light Opera and Musical Comedy
Selection—Dorothy (Cellier)
Vocal Gems—The Yeomen of the Guard (Gilbert & Sullivan)
Selection—Words and Music (Noel Coward)
Vocal—C. B. Cochran Medley
Selection—The Three Sisters (Kern)
Suite Bergamasque (Debussy) played by Walter Giesecking (Pianoforte).
Concert Waltzes
Estudiantina (Waldteufel)
The Skaters (Waldteufel)
Kongreb Waltz (Strauss)
Helena Waltzer (Offenbach)
Over the Waves (Rosas)
Danube Waves (Ivanovici)
Organ Music
Three Fours Waltz Suite, No. 3 (Coleridge Taylor)
Minuet Antique (Watling)
Rhapsody in Blue (Gershwin)
Medley of Old Time Songs

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.

3.30-6.30 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

6.30-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

6.30-7.30 p.m.—A Relay of the Easter Evening Service from St. John's Cathedral.

7.30-8 p.m.—A Relay of the Organ Recital from the Union Church by Mr. G. E. Longyear.

Programme
1. Berceuse .....Duncan.
2. Grand Choeur .....Reed.
3. Aria (Prodigal Son) ....Sullivan.
4. Easter Hymn .....Mascagni.
5. Hallelujah .....Handel.

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.33 p.m.—Band Music.
Marche Slav (Tschaikovsky)
War March of the Priests (Mendelssohn)
Softly awakes my heart ("Samson and Delilah") (Saint-Saens)
Hobomoko—Intermezzo (Reeves)
Wedding of the Rose (Jessel)
Semiramide—Overture (Rossini)

8.33- 9p.m.—A Concert.

Songs—
Where E'er you walk (from "Semele") (Randel)
As Pants the hart (from Spohr's "Crucifixion")
Master John Gwilym Griffiths and Chorus.

Violin Solos—
Concerto in G Major—Adagio (Mozart)
Sarabande and Tambourin (Sarasate)
Master Yehudi Menuhin.

Songs—
Hear me! Ye winds and waves (Handel)
I'm a Roamer (Mendelssohn)
Robert Radford (Bass).

9.-9.25 p.m.—From the Studio.
"Peter Simple will talk on Nothing in Particular—just the Local Rag."

9.25-9.30 p.m.—Pomp and Circumstance March No. 4 in G (Elgar) played by the B. B. C. Symphony Orchestra.

9.30-10 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Pianoforte Recital by Luba Shaftain.

Programme
1. Prelude .....Philip E. Bach.
2. Sonata in E Minor .....Haydn.
3. Two Songs without words .....Mendelssohn.
4. Andante from Sonata ..Schumann.
5. Poeme .....Scriabine.
6. Two Preludes .....Scriabine.

10 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.
10.05-10.30 p.m.—Dance Music.
10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

ANTI-RABIES TREATMENT FOR CHINESE

The carcase of the dog sent to Ma Tau-kok on April 18, after it had bitten a Chinese when he separated it in a fight, has been examined by the veterinary surgeon and has been found to have suffered from rabies. The Chinese is now undergoing anti-rabies treatment.

SENIOR MISSIONARY

The appointment of Mr. Stanley Victor Boxer, B.Sc., as Senior Missionary in Hong Kong of the London Missionary Society, is gazetted.

Mlle Marina Barretto, an accomplished pianist, Graduate of Ecole de Marguerite Long, Paris, will broadcast next Wednesday from 8.03 to 8.20 p.m. Mlle Barretto has appeared in several recitals at the Salle Pleyel and the Salle Gaveau of Paris. The Musical Association of Manila has presented Mlle Barretto in several Piano Recitals at the Manila Grand Opera House. Mlle Barretto was formerly a student at the French Convent, Hongkong.

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The Rev. Mr. Lee Kau-yan will preside, while the Rev. Cheung Chuk-ling will say a prayer and the Rev. Yung Pak will read the scriptures.

The Congregation will sing three hymns and the meeting will be closed by the Bishop of Victoria with a blessing.

CHURCH SERVICES IN EASTER WEEK

Cathedral And Peak Church

The following services are announced for Easter Week:—

To-day.
Holy Communion—6 a.m.
Holy Communion—7 a.m.
Holy Communion (Peak Church)—8 a.m.
Choral Eucharist—8 a.m.
Kindergarten and Children's Service—10 a.m.
Festival Mattins and Sermon—11 a.m.
Preacher:—The Bishop of Hong Kong.
Holy Communion—12.15 p.m.
Evensong and Sermon—6.30 p.m.
Preacher:—Rev. H. W. Baines.

Week Day Services, etc.
To-morrow, Holy Communion—8 a.m. and 10.15 a.m.
Tuesday, Holy Communion—8 a.m.
Wednesday, Intercessions for the Sick—10.15 p.m.
Thursday, Holy Communion—7.45 a.m.
Friday, Holy Communion—7.45 a.m.

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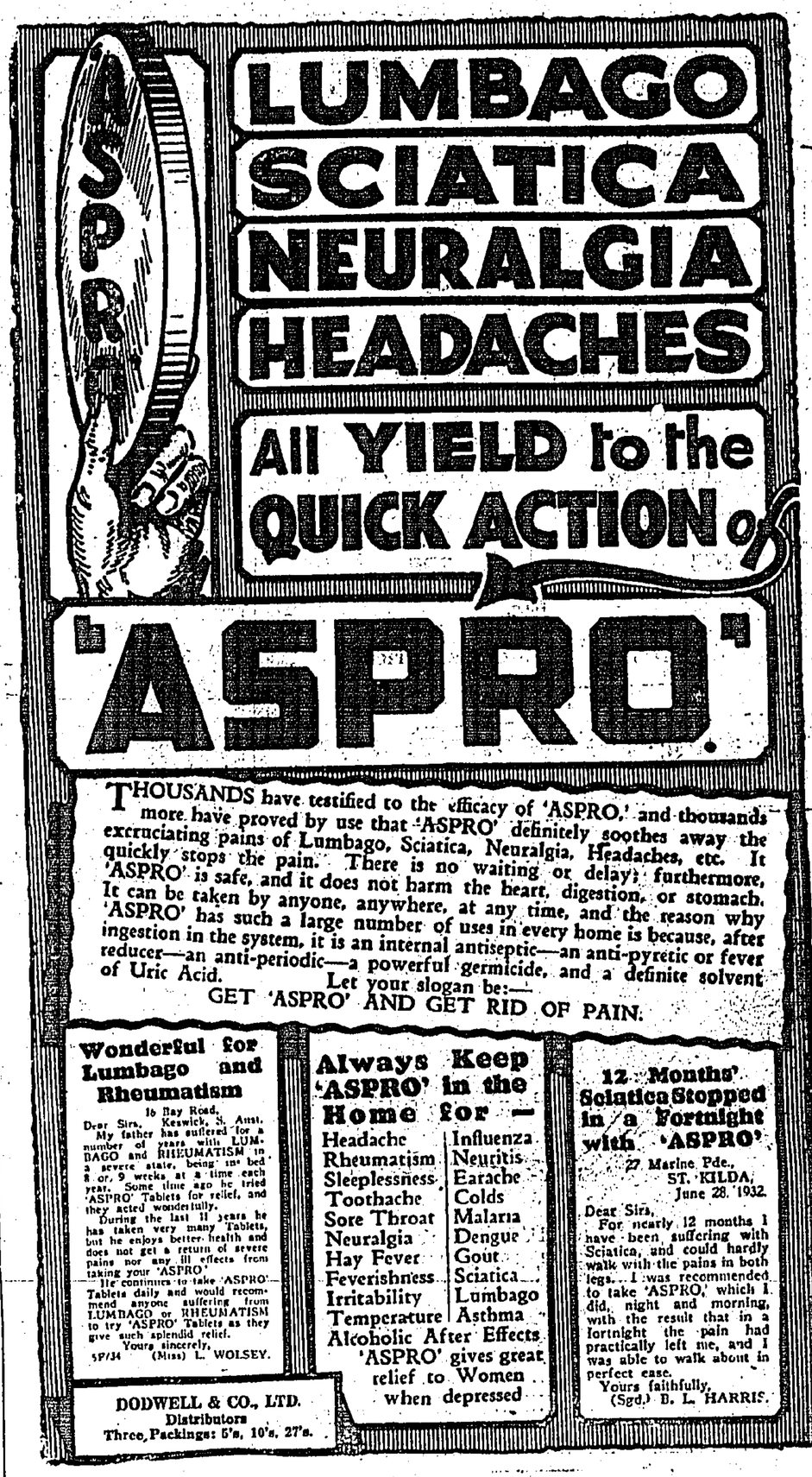
The first machine carrying passengers on the Australia-England air route left here at 6.35 yesterday with Lady Louis Mountbatten on board; she is bound for Malta to join her husband.—Reuter.

HONG KONG RAINFALL

No rainfall was registered in the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. yesterday.

The total since January 1 is 7.95 inches, against an average of 9.33 inches.

The Japanese destroyer, Hasu, arrived here on Friday from Takao, and will sail on Tuesday for Canton.



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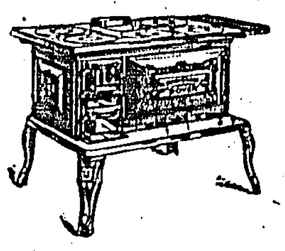

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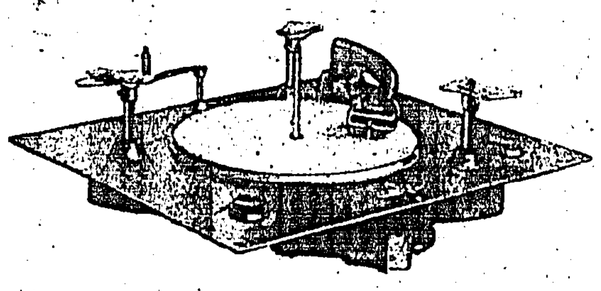

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The Holidays

HOWEVER thoroughly our attractions may be organised we shall never be able to prevent a grey day falling at an unseasonable date; the only remedy is to be as philosophical as we can about it, and reflect that if we had no rain, we should have no trees and no grass and no flowers. Or perhaps we might say that a bit of discomfort is better than an earthquake. This year is the year that has been picked out for some time past by Oriental writers, more particularly in Japan, as the "year of crisis," by which whatever may be meant it must be something a good deal worse than anything that we can see signs of at present.

——The Government has done nothing to create a festive feeling by publishing the report of the Economic Commission, which enumerates the items in our winter of discontent without any suggestion of any hint of where the glorious sun is to be seen on the horizon. At any rate we may congratulate ourselves that no fancy remedies are recommended. Hong Kong lives on international trade, and our prosperity rises or falls with that of the neighbouring provinces of China. We did not expect any "Open Sesame" clue to immediate release; but it has to be admitted that since the 16th of February, when the report was signed, every adverse condition has got a good deal worst. We are now suspended in mid air between a currency based on trade and a currency based on metal, suspended by a thread of hope that millionaires will get tired of making money out of manipulating the machinery out of which other people are trying to make their bread and butter.

Leaving aside that very unseasonable line of meditation, can we not draw some more encouraging thoughts from the date and its associations? What is the use of our faith if we do not extract from it the warmed ideas that seem to have no connection with calculation only because they so often break the bounds of statistics and give our calculators something new to analyse? Easter Sunday is to us the day of resurrection, of the resurgence of hope and determination to win life even out of despair and defeat. This is not any sectarian dogma, but a parable of the renewal of the life of struggle against adversity in the heart of every man. Is it not possible that we lose much by failing to put that side of our thought where it can be seen by all our Chinese neighbours, both in Hong Kong and on the mainland.

It would not be reasonable to look to an Economic Report for any mention of the modern triad of Beauty, Goodness, and Truth, which is held up to us even by the most modernist thinkers as the distinguishing marks of a life that is worth while; but it is allowable for non-official comment to take a rather broader sweep. Suggestions are from time to time made, and even followed by some half-hearted beginnings of execution, in favour of a sound and comprehensive history of Hong Kong. How is it that the task remains a mere project? It is because our record, if it is to deal with actualities, would not be a narrative but a balance-sheet. It would record that in such a year various firms made large profits and in another year not so much, and in still another year only a loss. All of which is of great interest to the firms in question, but not so much to the customers; and the firms are content with the profit without wishing any unnecessary publicity as to details. But the drawback to getting the reputation of being out for business only, is that other people follow the example. The Commission remarks that the injury done to Hong Kong by the rising rates of Chinese tariffs is probably not intentional; and very likely that is true. But how comes it that there was no consultation for mutual convenience, not even timely knowledge of what was intended, and what the results would be? Simply because the contact between ourselves and our neighbours has been entirely on a cash basis.

We are not, of course, suggesting that cultural contact should be undertaken for the sake of commercial results, for nothing could be more fatal. Nonetheless, there is much truth in the Bishop's suggestion at the Rotary Club last week that Hong Kong is marked out by its position to be "an Eastern Geneva." Sir Cecil Clementi expressed the same idea in the words when he said that Hong Kong should be "the lighthouse of the East." Look at the complete puzzlement of the European newspapers at the changing aspects of the "problem of the Pacific." Here in Hong Kong, with what the Commission calls its "very complex" community, is where all these complexities should be freely examined, in the hope at any rate of clarifying the facts, and quite possibly giving help to a solution.

The PASSING HOUR

by A. N. M.

THE CATHEDRAL PLAY

THE Bishop and the Cathedral staff are to be congratulated on the performance of John Masefield's "Good Friday," which was a worthy revival of a very ancient tradition. The old traditions have this advantage over the most brilliant new inventions, that even when they seem to have been forgotten, they spring to life again. At the time when all Christendom was united, and comradeship rather than criticism was the popular slogan, the Cathedrals were the centre of the civic life. The best artists sent their best work to adorn the walls, or frescoed them; and somewhere on the premises there was a suitable room where lectures on what we should call secular subjects were given by well-informed men either clerical or lay. Not only so, but discussions were held of controversial subjects, that nowadays are considered only as suitable causes of riot, or at any rate of quarrels. The reason was simply that in our sense of the word nothing was "secular." Information was either true or not true; thought was either logical or not logical; true information and enlightening thought were not considered capable of doing any harm to religion. When opinions differed there was a discussion, which was called, — without any suggestion of deprecation, — a "wrangle." That use of the word survives to-day only in the title "wrangler" as the reward of those who at Cambridge have succeeded in satisfying the authorities that they have a certain standard of information and power of deduction. The common use of the word amongst us is a very caustic comment on the degeneracy of our debating manners.

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MORALITIES

BUT only the select few would attend the "prelections" on abstruse questions; the great majority were "no scholards;" and for them the simple play containing either some story taken from the Gospels, or some enforcement of the primary rules of morality, was rendered either in the Cathedral or in the precints. The play given in Hong Kong last week was marked with a very suitable dignity, and was in fact most impressive. But the mark of being completely at home with a religion or any public movement the value of which is taken for granted is that a tendency to allow the fancy to play freely around it breaks out, even to the extent of actual comedy. It is rather quaint to note that the attitude of the popular markers of "Moralities" towards the Devil himself was not to take him too seriously. He used to appear rather as one of those characters that we describe as "too clever by half," which is no compliment. He was always trying clever devices that ended in detection and ridicule; in fact it is quite probable that he was the progenitor of "Harlequin" in our Christmas pantomimes. In China the conditions seem to justify a return to the old practice of teaching through the acted play; it would be ungracious to suggest that many of us who have done a good deal of reading would also prefer the indirect method occasionally to some of the direct instruction given to us from the pulpit.

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BRITAIN AND THE FLYING-BOAT

DELAY IN REPLY TO FOREIGN CHALLENGE

GIVING OUR RIVALS THREE YEARS' LEAD

(By Major C. C. Turner)

With some reason uneasiness is felt as to the position of Great Britain in, say, three years' time, in view of the determined efforts of the United States and France to challenge our flying-boat supremacy.

British flying boats comparable in size, weight and power to the Latecoere Lieut. de Vaisseau Paris, which has just undergone flight trials in France, and to the big new American boats, the Sikorsky and the Glenn Martin, will not be ready before the middle of 1937.

Unaccountable Delay

Designs have been prepared, but orders for the work to proceed both on the military and the civil side are unaccountably delayed.

This cannot be due to a desire to profit from foreign experience before committing ourselves, for much work on new craft could be done, leaving opportunity for modifications.

British designers have little to fear from comparison, but they cannot afford to give their rivals three years' lead for operational experience and for securing a hold on the Atlantic routes.

The Atlantic is the goal. Eastwards direct, westwards via the Azores, suiting prevailing winds. Airships demand attention, but there will be no need for "sea-dromes."

Handicap to Designers

British designers and manufacturers are labouring under a terribly severe handicap. In their case orders will not come for more than one of those big flying boats at a time, whereas both Sikorsky and Glenn Martin in the United States have orders for three.

The British manufacturer is expected to produce one machine at the same, or even at a lower, price than foreign makers may quote when they receive orders for a number of machines. Worse still, he is expected to go to a very big outlay in designing for a problematical order, and in the present case he has to wait for months before an order is given. With some it is becoming a question whether they can carry on. And yet they are an essential national asset, indispensable to the country.

The approximate all-on weights of the various big flying boats are:

	Tones
U.S.A.—Glenn Martin	25½
Sikorsky	18½
France.—Latecoere	25
British.—Short (military)	32
Scipio	15½
Perth (military)	16

British Superiority

British flying boats, civil and military, have proved their superior seaworthiness in all climates. In the matter of speed, although the new American machines are fast, this quality is secured at the cost of somewhat higher alighting speed than is liked by British designers. But there is really very little in it, for British designs now awaiting selection will be sufficiently fast if their other qualities be taken into account.

The American flying boats are heavier than any of the British, with the exception of the military six-engined Short. Unlike most British flying boats, they are monoplanes, and therefore of necessity of greater wing-span. This characteristic is regarded with some dubiousness by British designers, who point out that it is a handicap in heavy seas.

Seaworthiness

Although the Sikorsky has captured several world records, and has made some notable voyages across the Caribbean Sea, her seaworthiness in rough water has not yet been put to serious test.

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FIVE YEARS AGO

(Extracts from the *Sunday Herald* of April 20, 1930).

The Somersets defeated South China by a goal to nil in a league soccer match at Caroline Hill.

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At the Fourth Extra Race Meeting yesterday, Royal Flush, with its owner, Mr. A. J. P. Heard, in the saddle, won the Easter Stakes, after having been beaten twice by President Hall at previous meetings.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

April 21, 1921.—Hong Kong Chamber of Commerce protested against the new stamp duties and suggested Government loans instead.

April 22, 1877.—Sir John Pope Hennessy became Governor of Hong Kong.

April 24, 1908.—Imperial Chinese Edict issued disranking all Roman Catholic priests.

April 24, 1923.—Steamer "Wing Ping" pirated.

Hong Kong Personalities

Mr. CHARLES L. HOOVER

This is the thirty-eighth of the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Konya, the talented Hungarian artist.

OUR Personality this week is Mr. Charles Lewis Hoover, Consul-General of the United States in Hong Kong.

Big and burly, white-haired, pink-skinned and clear-eyed, with a charming manner that puts one instantly at one's ease, Mr. Hoover—incidentally a distant cousin of the late President of that name and bearing a strong family likeness to him—is the *beau ideal* of a consul, a benevolent uncle to all stray nationals that float within his orbit.

Born at Oskaloosa, Iowa, in 1872, Mr. Hoover was educated at the University of Missouri, Cotner University and the University of Chicago, besides having the benefit of private tutors. Small wonder, then, that he was compelled to work off some of this training on the younger generation. We find him, first, as Superintendent of Schools at Edgemont, S. Dakota, from 1895 to 1898, and subsequently as Divisional Superintendent of Schools in the Philippines, from 1902 to 1909. Always a keen botanist and plant-lover, as well as ethnologist and philologist, he improved his time in the Islands by making a study of their flora and human fauna, with their languages. In 1904 he was awarded a Silver Medal at the St. Louis Exposition for an exhibit of a collection of the economic plants of the Philippines and, during the course of his residence there, published brochures on the Wild Tribes of Mindanao, the Flora of Mindanao and the Dialects of the Philippines.

Mr. Hoover's first consular appointment was to Madrid, 1909 to 1911, going thence to Carlsbad (Austria). Here he was serving at the outbreak of the Great War,

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TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

True delicacy, as true generosity, is more wounded by an act of offence from itself, than to itself.

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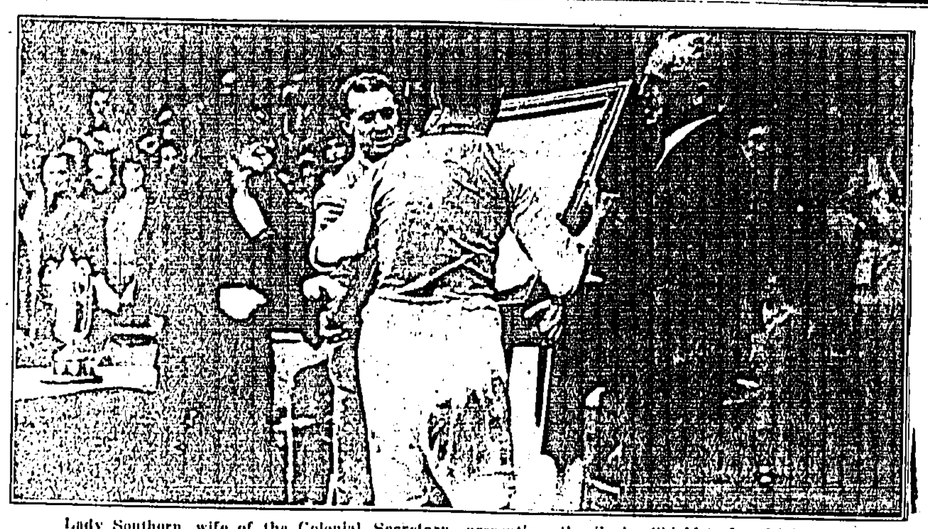
The Civilian hockey team defeated the Shanghai German Hockey Club last Monday by 3 goals to 1. The local team are here seen on the goal-line as the Germans take a corner hit. Seen in this picture from left to right, are D. Whatley, E. F. Selk, J. Gonsalves, U. B. Souza (standing in goal), Parker, and A. P. Souza on the extreme right.



Lady Southorn, wife of the Colonial Secretary, presenting the Senior Shield to Lee Wai-tong, captain of South China "B," who defeated the Police by two clear goals on the Club ground last Saturday.—(King's Studio).

A scene from the Paramount Picture "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer" now showing at the Central and Alhambra Theatres.

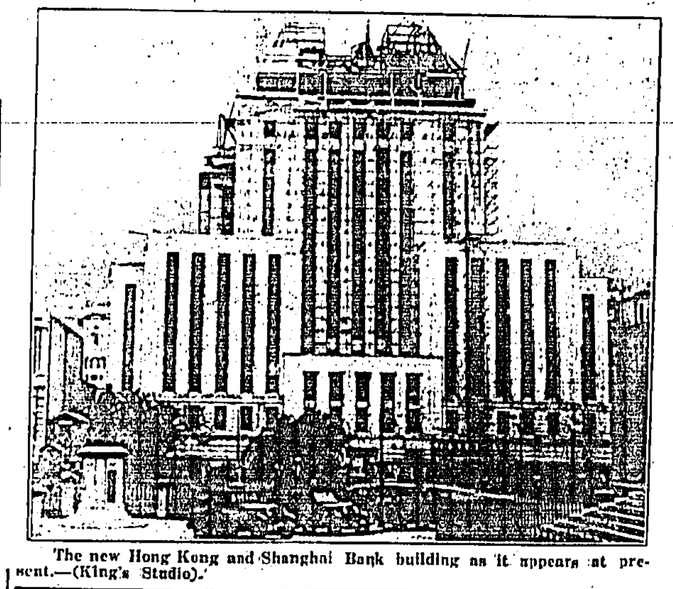
The Shanghai German Hockey Club team, who lost all three of their encounters on their visit to the Colony and Macao. On the extreme right of the photograph is Stuhlmann, their brilliant left-winger, who scored most of their goals. Sommer, who contributed greatly to their excellent defence, is second from the right in the front row.

A group of athletes at the Royal Artillery sports, which were held at Sookunpoo on Tuesday afternoon before a large gathering of spectators including the officer Commanding, Lieut. Col. M. Carrington-Sykes, and officers of the Garrison. (King's Studio).

e Hong Kong Civilian hockey eleven, above, caused a sensation on by defeating the Shanghai Germans by 3 goals to 1. A. M. Rodrihe hero of the match, is seen in the middle of the back row.—(King's

Tsui Wai-pui, left, the Colony Singles champion, was beaten by Ho Ka-lau, right, at the Hong Kong Cricket Club last Tuesday.—(King's Studio).

Paul Kong, H. D. Rumjahn, Lee Wai-tong and S. A. Rumjahn (from left to right), who took part in the semi-final round of the Open Doubles Lawn Tennis Championship at the H.K.C.C. last Wednesday. — (King's Studio).



The new Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank building as it appears at present.—(King's Studio).

The Hong Kong Football Association eleven which retained the Governor's Cup at Caroline Hill on Sunday. Rowlands, who was the hero of the match, which called for extra time, is seen sixth from the left.

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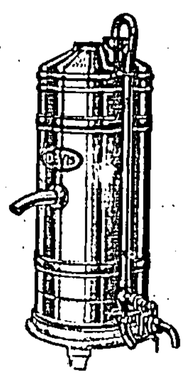

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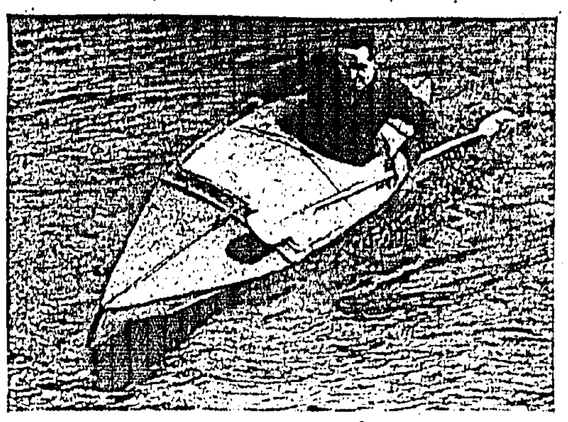
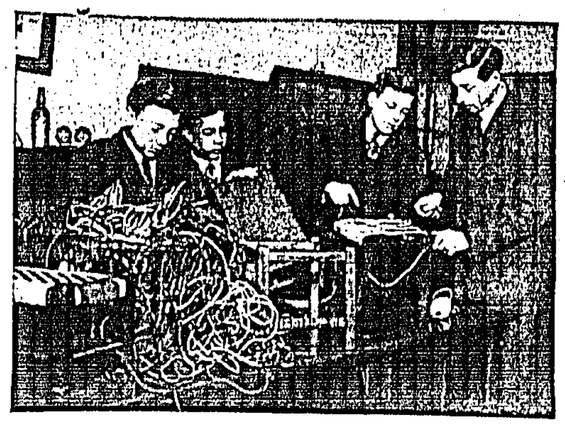
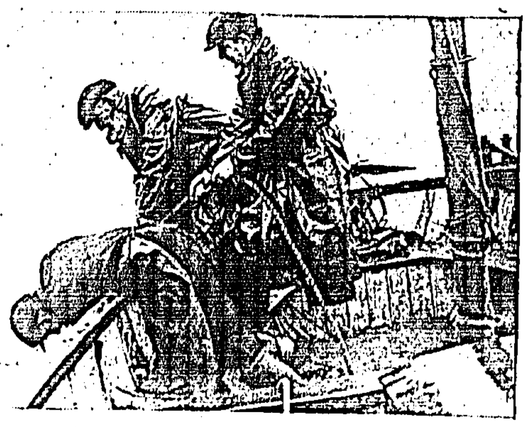


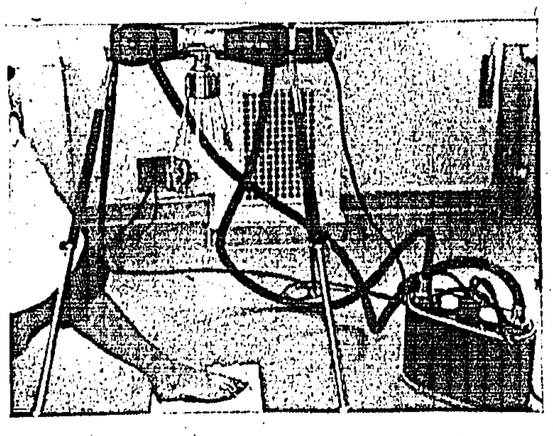
Making Canoeing A-Safe Sport. Mr. Alastair M. Dunnett has travelled from the Clyde to the Isle of Skye in this canoe, which is safe in the open Atlantic.



Schoolboy Weavers in London Elementary School. Making stools is part of the carpentry class. The seats are woven sea-grass.



Revival Of Old Maritime Industry. Clam fishing is the chief occupation of the fisherman of Donaghadee (Northern Ireland) and good catches find a ready sale in the London market. The motor-boat Mercedes is just hauling in a dredge.



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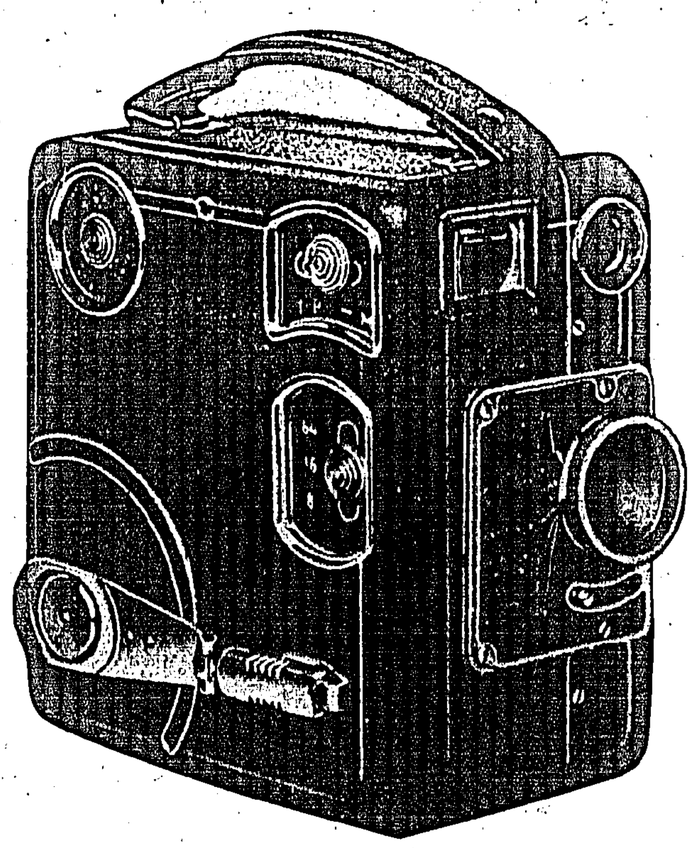

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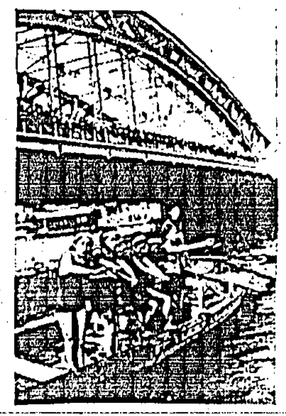
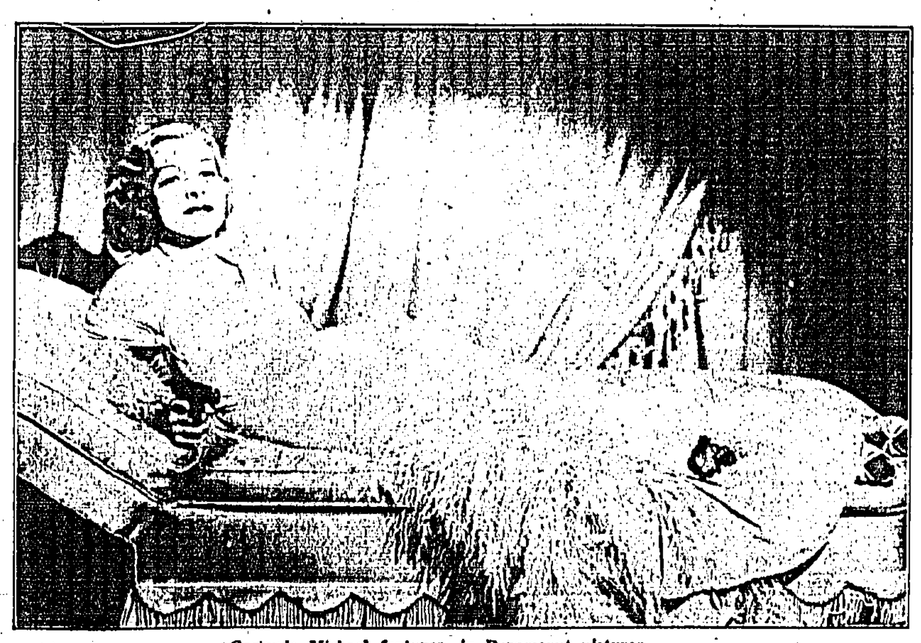


Hardy Japanese Girls. They are about to make the plunge for their mid-winter swimming race in the Sumida River, Tokio.

Darby And Joan. A typical Connemara couple at a fair in Galway.

Fine Feathers. Sorting a consignment of goose feather at a Norwood, London, shuttlecock factory, ready for the All-England Badminton Championships.



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HONG KONG AND THE NEW TERRITORIES. — No. 152.

The Call Of The Wild

ON our Lan t'au expedition on March 10 I noticed hanging from the bare twigs of a small bush a number of large cocoons which I suspected to be those of the Atlas moth. A halt was made and a number gathered, all proved to have hatched save two and these were left on top of a bookcase in my study. A few days ago the larger of the two hatched and in the morning a perfect female was observed resting on the window-sill. A few shoots of flowering tobacco were placed in a vase and the moth transferred to one of these. She measured 9 inches in diameter and 4 inches in depth of wing alongside the body. It is impossible to describe the colours but in general the body is rich rufous banded narrowly with white; the wings chestnut with paler and darker speckles, bands and streaks and each wing with a triangular transparent window. The prolonged and backwardly curved tips of the fore wings are a sandy yellow each with a small black eye, there is blue shading along the anterior border and a well defined median chestnut streak.

For three days the moth rested patiently on the tobacco waiting for the arrival of a mate during which time she was photographed and admired by many. On several occasions I held the smaller cocoon to my ear in the hope that I might hear a possible mate fighting his way out, ...but no such luck. Each night a window was left open so that a male, attracted by the smell of the female, might enter, for the female heavy with eggs does not usually fly much till she has disposed of them.

Last night my wife was awakened by a squeaking and clattering against the window of the landing outside both the bedroom and study. I was woken and hastily I lept from bed and caught with ease a very battered and bedraggled male Atlas moth. He looked as if he had flown from Lan t'au in search of a mate and had encountered a typhoon on the way. I placed him on the shoot next to the female and hoped that she would not notice his imperfections and would accept him. .... She did, and I am in hope of rearing a family of Atlas moth caterpillars on the leaves of Hibiscus which is the most easily obtainable food.

Summer Migrants

Two most interesting migrant birds arrived in the Pokfulam district towards the end of the second week of this month. One is the Indian cuckoo, the other the Black-napped or Golden Oriole. The first is a shy bird but the second much less so, two Orioles attracted our attention, whilst we ate our breakfast this morning, by singing and displaying their beauty in a pine tree outside the window. The call of the Indian cuckoo might be described as "Kwi-kwee-kwo-kwo". The whistle of the Golden Oriole is also a four note call easily remembered by the phrase, "Oh! Who are you?" A very short pause after the "Oh!" and the following three notes rapidly repeated with a rise and fall on the "are you?" The Oriole has two other calls, a, four note whistle keeping to the same note, "Oh Oh, Oh Oh," and a short harsh scream which cannot be interpreted in words.

The Gem-faced Civet

A dog owned by a friend of mine killed an animal on the Peak and my friend asked me if I would like the specimen. I never refuse such gifts! It proved to be a half grown Gem-faced Civet Cat, *Paguma larvata larvata*. This is the rarer of the three local civets, the other two have been described in these notes and illustrated in the last volume of the *Naturalist*. This Civet can easily be identified, it has short claws on the fore feet therefore is not a Ferret-badger, the claws are not completely retractile and therefore it cannot be a Cat and must either be a Civet or a Mongoose. The other two wild civets have ringed tails so it is neither of those and as it has a white blaze on the forehead the rest of the head being black it cannot be our one local species of Mongoose. The upper parts are buff, the long hairs with a white central black band and a white tip giving a hoary appearance; tail buff white the terminal half blackish brown.

The Lam Tsun Valley

No space is left for a description of our last trip to this valley. The rarest bird seen was a South China Jungle Crow. Three were seen in flight, two attacking the third. I was reminded of the line in the song about the three crows: "The fourth crow he wasna there at all." But he was, though he had been left a mile or more in the rear. This rare bird, —a new record for the valley,— probably breeds in the Colony.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE FUNCTIONS

Many Social Activities During Week

The Social activities of His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and Lady Peel, and Government House functions for the week ending Saturday, are recorded in the following official communique issued from Government House yesterday.

Tuesday April 16th.

His Excellency, accompanied by the Director of Education Mr. G. R. Sayer and attended by Captain Walter, paid a visit of inspection to the Junior Technical School.

His Excellency later received the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock K. C. and Mr. Harmon and Mr. Beaten, representatives of the Y.M.C.A. international.

In the evening His Excellency received Captain H. Owen-Hughes H.K.V.D.C. on his relinquishing his appointment as honorary Aide-de-Camp.

Wednesday April 17th.

The Hon. Lady Barstow, Mr. O. Barstow and Mr. W. J. Peel arrived at Government House.

His Excellency received Commodore F. Elliot G.B.E., R.N. prior to his relinquishing his appointment as Commodore in Charge, Hong Kong.

The following dined at Government House:—H. H. Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, Sir William Hornell C.I.E., I.I.D., Professor R. E. Tottenham E. A., etc., Professor and Mrs. F. A. Redmond, Dr. I. Newton F. R. C. G., Mr. Noel Coward, Commander T. A. Hussey R. N., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taggart, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall, Commander and Mrs. Charles Drage, Miss Mollison, Miss Shenton, the Misses Gerrard, Miss Smith, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Cootes, Mr. Munro and Mr. Cragg.

Thursday April 18th.

The Hon. Lady Barstow and Mr. Barstow left Government House.

His Excellency received Mr. F. Jacks prior to his departure on retirement.

Lady Peel gave a tennis party in the afternoon.

His Excellency presided at a meeting of the Legislative Council, Saturday April 20th.

Miss Readhead and Mr. W. J. Peel left Government House.

His Excellency and Lady Peel, attend by the personal staff, were the guests of the Hon. Sir William and Lady Shenton and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall at luncheon at the racecourse, afterwards staying to witness the 4th Extra Race Meeting of the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, Yesterday.—The total amount applied for this week in tenders for £35,000,000 Treasury bills was £81,740,000. The maximum amounted was allotted in bills at three months.

The average rate per cent. was 10/1.31d., as compared with 10/1.41d last week.—British Wireless Service.

GLENCOE ESTATE SOLD

London, Yesterday.

Glencoe estate in Scotland, covering 75 square miles, and famous as the scene of the massacre of the Macdonald Clan in 1692, has been sold by Lord Strathcona.—British Wireless Service.

GALA NIGHTS AT THE HOTELS

Seven Artistes Give Dancing Displays

FUNCTIONS AT PENINSULA AND HONG KONG

The most ambitious Gala Nights ever arranged by the management of the Hong Kong and Peninsula Hotels took place last night, there being no less than seven different artistes engaged. The roof gardens of both hotels were packed to capacity, the Hong Kong Hotel being especially crowded.

When the signal was given that the first "turn" was about to commence there was a general rush to secure good positions. Tables and chairs were used as a grand-stand by many in the back rows.

"The Newyorkers," comprising Hank Brown, Eukie Lee and Dee St. Clair, direct from the Little Club in Shanghai, made their initial appearance at the Hotels. Their clever performance was one of the features of the evening.

For the first time in the history of the Hong Kong Hotel dance orchestra an outsider was allowed to direct it, the outsider being Hank Brown, who displayed the same ability as a dance-band leader as he had done as a dancer.

Armand and Diana, already familiar to Hong Kong Hotel patrons, were particularly good in their unusual type of dances, while John and Harriet Griffith, who have been appearing at the Hotel for the past week, had to respond to many encores of their beautiful ballroom dances.

ECONOMIC MISSION TO CHINA

To Foster Commerce With America

EXPECTED IN SHANGHAI TO-MORROW

The Forbes Economic Mission to China, consisting of 15 of America's leading business men, and including Professor C. F. Remer, of the University of Michigan, under the leadership of Mr. W. Cameron Forbes, a late Governor-General of the Philippines, is due to arrive in Shanghai to-morrow. There it will be received by Government officials and by the members of the Chinese-American Trade Council and the American and Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

The members of the Mission will visit Nanking on April 23 to pay its respects to the leaders of the Chinese Government.

The itinerary of the Mission while in China will be arranged by the Chinese American Trade Council in co-operation with Government officials and with other organisations. Mr. K. C. Li, President of the Wah Chang Trading Corporation, President of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in New York, and member of the American-Chinese Trade Council of New York, is at present on a visit to China and will meet the Mission on its arrival.

Divided Itinerary

Returning to Shanghai on April 25, the Mission will enter upon a round of conferences and of visits to industrial centres. One group will proceed up the Yangtze River to Hankow and other interior points.

Another group will visit Canton and ports for the study of economic conditions in South China. Another group will proceed to Tientsin and North China. Study and investigation by these several groups will occupy three weeks.

The entire Mission will reassemble at Shanghai on Monday, June 3, where further studies and conferences will be carried on until the Mission sails for home by the s.s. President Coolidge on Tuesday, June 18.

CIGARETTE CASE STOLEN

Ninth Conviction Of 20-Year-Old

Chan Kwok, a 20-year-old unemployed, was yesterday morning sentenced by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, at the Central Police Court, to six months' hard labour and two years' police supervision for the theft of a cigarette case from the person of Ho Hang at Wellington Street.

The defendant had eight previous convictions of a similar nature.

BRITAIN HAS NO MORE FEAR OF DROUGHT

Has Adequate Water Supply

LAST YEAR'S DEFICIENCIES NOW PUT RIGHT

London, Yesterday.

During the debate on the adjournment of the House of Commons yesterday, the water problem, which caused considerable anxiety in some parts of Britain last summer, was raised and opposition members protested against the inadequacy of the measures taken to prevent a recurrence.

For the Ministry of Health Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, replying, said that in reference to last year's experience the country had weathered the worst drought in British history without any real hardship in areas covered by 1,500 water undertakings.

The drought, however, revealed certain directions in which the water supply was inadequate and under emergency legislation 36 orders had been issued to deal with the situation in these areas.

The outlook for the future was, however, encouraging. A year go the reservoirs were depleted; now they were full. Yesterday, he said, a meeting of experts formed the opinion that, owing to the efficiency of the water supply, even if there were a dry summer, they could look forward without any apprehension of drought.—British Wireless Service.

SILVER SMUGGLING INTO MANCHURIA

Huge Sums Sent Out Of North China

FOREIGN BANK SAID TO BE CHIEF OFFENDER

Tientsin.

Huge sums of silver, specie estimated to be between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 monthly, are being smuggled from various parts of North China to Manchuria by a powerful ring formed, it is said, of Japanese, traitorous Chinese merchants and a certain foreign bank in Tientsin.

Operations are carried on in two ways, one by smuggling small sums secreted on the person and the other by means of large official consignments. The first method is pursued by individual Japanese and Chinese smugglers, who send agents to Peiping, Tientsin and the various districts in the Luantung Area to absorb silver dollars and concentrate them at Shanhaikwan, whence they are smuggled outside the Great Wall in small sums. The second method is alleged to be adopted by officials of the foreign bank referred to above who, taking advantage of their status as a bank, are transporting large consignments to Manchuria in defiance of police regulations.

Owing to the scarcity of silver specie in the markets of the Luantung Area due to the smuggling, prices of goods in the Area are rising abnormally and considerable suffering is being inflicted upon the poor. In order to check this heavy exodus of silver, the Hopei Provincial Authorities are determined to adopt and enforce more stringent measures against the smugglers.—Chekiai Agency.

LLOYD GEORGE'S PLANS DISCUSSED

Scheme For National Development

London, Yesterday.

A discussion of a general character, extending for over two hours, took place yesterday morning between Mr. Lloyd George and members of the Cabinet Committee, which for some time past has been considering the proposals for national development of which he is author.

Details of his plans will be explored at further meetings.—British Wireless Service.

SIR JOHN SIMON RETURNS

London, Yesterday.

Sir John Simon, the Foreign Secretary, arrived at Hendon by air from Paris yesterday morning, on his return from Geneva.—British Wireless Service.

TRANSACTIONS IN CHILDREN

Another Gang Run To Earth

FIVE CHINESE SENTENCED TO HEAVY FINES

Five Chinese, four women and a man, appeared before Mr. J. H. B. Lee at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning to answer a charge of having been implicated in the buying and selling of children. They were, Li San, a 55-year-old painter, Ng Mui, a 40-year-old married woman, Leung Mui, a 44-year-old married woman, Ho Yung, a 30-year-old married woman, and Leung Wan, a 40-year-old married woman. This fourth accused was stated to have been a member of a gang, some of whom were convicted and sentenced last Saturday.

Took Part In Sale

The first four defendants were charged with taking part in the sale of a 18-months old boy, Li Kwai, while the fourth and the fifth were charged with taking part in the sale of Lam Luk-mui, a six weeks-old girl.

Inspector K. W. Andrews, of the S.C.A., who was in charge of the prosecution, stated that in the first case Li San and Ng Mui were the parents of child and had sold it for a sum of $134, of which the wife had received $4. The third defendant had acted as a go-between for the fourth defendant and alleges that she received no money for her share in the transaction.

In the second case Leung Wan, the fifth defendant, had been used as a go-between. The child had been bought by Ho Yung on March 3, for the sum of $7, but the police were unable to find the parents.

Child Claimed

Inspector Andrews went on to say that the fourth defendant had given her address as No. 877 Canton Road, which was the address of the defendants who were sentenced last week. There was another child found in the place but, as the woman said that it was hers and the police were unable to find out anything about it, they could do nothing.

The first defendant was fined $500, in default six months' imprisonment, the second was fined $100, in default two months' imprisonment, each of the go-between were fined $250, in default three months' imprisonment, while Ho Yung, the buyer, was sentenced to fines totalling $1,000, in default 12 months' imprisonment.

NEW EDITION OF HIGH CODE

Pedestrians Included In New Rules

HOUSEHOLDERS TO RECEIVE A COPY EACH

London, Yesterday.

A new edition of the highway code, which has been revised in light of the recent legislation and regulations designed to make for greater safety on the roads, will come up for approval by Parliament soon after Easter.

The code lays down rules of conduct for all road users, including pedestrians, and the Transport Minister is credited with the intention of bringing it to the notice of all householders by sending a copy to each by post.

The printing of the code is said to be the biggest task ever to be undertaken by the Government Stationery Office.—British Wireless Service.

MISS JEAN BATTEN PROGRESSING

Hopes To Reach London For Silver Jubilee

London, Yesterday.

Miss Jean Batten, the 25-year-old New Zealand airwoman, who is engaged on a solo Australia-England flight, was 7½ days out from Darwin yesterday morning when she left Calcutta for Karachi. She arrived at Jodhpur at 6.30 p.m. local time.

She hopes to reach England in time for the Jubilee celebrations on May 6, in which case she will be the holder of records for outward and homeward flights between England and Australia.—British Wireless Service.

The Real Meaning Of Easter

Death's Terrors Are Done Away With

The Gate To The Real Life Beyond

(By Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan)

A Roman knight, stripped and imprisoned by his foes, was mockingly asked." Where is now thy fortress?" Placing his hand upon his breast, he simply answered, "Here." The fortress of Christ, was, similarly, the fortress of His soul. Like a fresh-water spring which enemies could not cut off, because it was not outside, but within the beleagured citadel, even amid ceaseless agitation, His calm spirit gave Him a deep and central peace.

So on the very Cross He could resign Himself to God with the confidence of a little child, and say; "Father, into Thy hands I commit My spirit." He was no rose-crowned Apollo who never dipped a finger in human shadows. He was in all things like unto us and so, amongst us, He must also die; but now that His bleeding feet have been through the valley, it can never be so dark for us again. His last words were an entrance-greeting to the world that lay beyond.

"Into Thy Hands . . . "

How often have these very words been used across the Christian centuries, by those who are about to face the last great mystery of all? William the Conqueror used them, and Augustine, the poet Tasso, and Christopher Columbus, and countless others. Our Lord was quoting from the thirty-first Psalm, but He added to the words one other which contains profound significance. It was the same word with which He commenced the first saying on Calvary—"*Father.*" It was the keynote of His entire life and ministry, —the greatest and grandest conception of God that He could give us, one that buried for ever the Old Testament ideas about Jehovah. The God of wrath and vengeance gives place to One who knows and loves and cares for His children, wherever they may be, or whatever they may have done. Looking with clear eyes into the face of death Christ could still call Him "Father," and in that fact lies our hope and certainty, that Good Friday is not the end—that for us, as for Him, there will come the dawn of Easter morning.

To the natural mind death appears a terrible experience, and for at least three reasons. First its mystery and foreboding. Nothing is so frightening as any danger that is invisible, and death is often called the valley of the *shadow*. As far as earthly relationship is concerned, each one must enter it solitary and alone.

It seems terrible too, because it means so often the eclipse of human promise.

Richard Cameron prayed on the battlefield of Airmoss, on which he himself fell, "Lord, spare the green and take the ripe." But often the green are taken while the ripe are left. The rich buds of spring are killed by untimely frosts. Young lives are snatched from some great calling, while the greyhaired are left to watch them go.

Then, too, it seems terrible because of the bitter separation. It "puts our lives so far apart, that we cannot hear each other speak." Death has no time nor seasons, no rest and no repose.

All Fears Dispelled

But the final words on Calvary dispel all these fears, for death ceases to be a mystery, and becomes a journey *home*, a passing through a door that opens into another phase of life. "How can I make these Christians obey?" wrote one of the Roman Governors of Gaul, in the days when the Church in its infancy was persecuted with every kind of cruelty, "We govern men by threatening death, but for these Christians death has lost all its terrors."

The fear of it, because it eclipses human progress, is also banished in the light of these final words. We can only see a section of the field, but He surveys it all. He often calls His children from places where they may seem precious in the world, to a higher service of which know nothing. Christ Himself was only 33. The gravestone of a little child bore the words; "Who plucked this flower? The Gardener! Let us rest content." A little one who is very dear to us, may be taken away, but at least we can remember this, that he, or she, had but a look at life, and saw it in all its beauty, and happiness. It might have been better for some of us, if we too, could have missed some of the ugliness that we have found across the years. That life is not eclipsed, that is snatched so early from the earth:

"....*For still we hope*
That in a world of larger scope,
What here is faithfully begun
Will be completed, not undone."

Mors Janua Vitae

The final saying upon the Cross dispels too, the fear of death caused by its bitter separation. One of the saddest pages of literature is that which tells of John Stuart Mill lingering over the grave of his wife at Avignon, with the light of his life extinguished, and no vision but what was bounded by her tomb. To every Christian the assurance of meeting those they love in the life beyond is the polestar of their lives. Can the great love-stories of history be of more importance than the ones who loved, that their stories should survive across the centuries, and the lovers themselves be blotted out and pass into oblivion?

If you cut open the fruits of autumn, you will find the new growths of the coming spring. So if we would dwell in the divine Fatherhood, we must begin to dwell in Him here and now.

And so we bring to a close our thoughts on the Seven Words on Calvary,—the most precious words ever spoken by human lips. But, had they been the words of One Who proved to be a failure and a fraud, how could they have live to inspire humanity?

Their value lies in the supreme fact, that He Who spoke them fulfilled His promise, that the third day He would rise again. And His promise was also this, that *He was going on ahead to prepare a place for us.* That is why Easter D , is of such supreme importance, because it banishes the power of death, and fills us with the certainty that beyond the sunset, there comes a yet more splendid and more glorious dawn.

CANTON EXPRESS LATE

TWO CHANGES OF ENGINES

For two nights in succession the afternoon express train from Canton has arrived in Kowloon almost two hours behind her schedule.

Owing to a stoppage, the oil failed to reach the axle-box, which became hot, and subsequently two changes of engines had to be made before the "Flying Dragon" made her late arrival at the Kowloon Station on Friday at 9.15 p.m.

The same incident occurred last night when an engine from Kowloon had to be sent to Shum Chun to pull in the "Flying Dragon," which had already changed engines at Shek Lung. She arrived in Kowloon at 9.10 p.m.

GERMANY ANNOYED AT LEAGUE

British Attitude Of Support Condemned

London, Yesterday.

The British Ambassador in Berlin, Sir Eric Phipps, was summoned last evening by Herr Von Buelow, who expressed the German Government's indignation at the resolution passed by the League of Nations' Council, and Britain's attitude in supporting it. — British Wireless Service.

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KWANGTUNG TRADE HIT BY SILVER PRICE

Export Business At A Standstill

ISSUE OF "BIG DOLLAR" NOTES SHELVED

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday.

The continuous rise of silver during the past several days has had a disturbing effect on the economic position here. Owing to the high cost of silver, the export trade is practically at a standstill.

Overseas Chinese have suspended remitting money home owing to the low value of foreign currencies and the high price of the white metal.

The present price of silver has made it impossible for the Provincial Department of Finance to buy silver dollars as a reserve for the issue of the "big dollar" banknotes, the circulation of which is shelved for the time being.

Silver coins are being shipped out of Canton, anyone being allowed each time to export $20 worth in specie. At the same time a large quantity is being smuggled out by boat and train.

Fortunately there is not much demand for silver coins, provincial banknotes being accepted everywhere at full value.

DAWES LOAN INTEREST

American Protest To Germany

DISCRIMINATION NOT FAVOURED

Washington, Yesterday.

The United States Government has declared a vigorous protest to Berlin against Germany's action in paying American holders of the current Dawes Loan interest amounting to $2,000,000 in registered marks deposited in the Reichsbank.

This means that, while British and other holders, who are protected by special agreements, will receive payments in full in foreign currencies, Americans who receive registered marks will only be able to use them for long-term investment in Germany or convert them into dollars at a considerable discount.

America's note adds that the solemn faith and credit of Germany were voluntarily pledged that payments on the bonds would be met without discrimination against any holder. —Reuter.

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U. S. NATIONAL SYSTEM OF UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

Social Security Bill Passed By House Of Representatives

Washington, yesterday.

The House of Representatives has passed the National Recovery Administration's Social Security Bill to provide for a national system of unemployment insurance and old-age pensions. The cost is estimated at £20,000,000 for the first year, and £40,000,000 for each succeeding year.

The Bill now goes to the Senate.—Reuter.

SHARE MARKET

Weekly Report

Hong Kong, April 20, 1935.

Messrs. G. A. Harriman's weekly share report and market review issued at noon states:—

The market during the week under review has been on the easy side with very little business passing, rates in the investment section again suffering a decline with several stocks touching new low records. Hong Kong Lands saw a new low level at $39, Hong Kong Trams at $14, and Dairy Farms at $17.75. Hong Kong Electrics were dealt in at $64 closing in demand at this rate. Telephones ruled easier with sales effected at $22. Wharves (cum rights) came to business at $90. Minor issues were a bit steadier with Hotels changing hands at $4.40 and China Lights at $9.45 with further buyers at these rates. Cements were again dealt in at $1.35. Providents (old) were a shade easier with enquiries at $0.95 with transactions recorded at $1.00. Sterling issues were again easier on a rising exchange, Unions having been done at $390, but Hong Kong Banks were a nominal market at $1170. The tone of the market at the close is dull.

BUSINESS DURING THE WEEK HAS BEEN DONE AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:—

China Lights $9.45.
Providents (Old) $1.
Cements $1.35.
Unions $390/392½.
H. K. Fires $215.
Hotels $4.40.
Dairy Farms $17¾/18.
Wharves $90.
Constructions (Old) $1.40.
Wharves (rights) $10¾/11.
H. K. Lands $39.
H. K. Trams $14/15.10.
H. K. Electrics $64.
Telephones (Old) $22.

MERCHANTS' MARINE INSURANCE CO. LTD.

The Assets of the Merchants' Marine Insurance Company Ltd., for which Messrs. Anhold and Co. are the local representatives, are shown, at December 31 last, as £479, 322 2s. 1d. and balance of Profit and Loss Account, transferred to Balance Street, at £394,-175 9s. 2d.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ASSURANCE COPN.

The Balance Sheet of the Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation, Ltd., for which Messrs. Anhold and Co., Ltd. are the local agents, shows Assets as at December 31, 1934, £10,064,728 18s. 1d. and balance of Appropriation Account of £64,929 6s. 5d., after providing for the payment of dividends amounting to 3s. 6d. per share.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The financial statement for January shows a revenue of $3,325,-579.24 as against an expenditure of $2,178,455.91. The excess of assets over liabilities at the end of January was $13,395,878.57, as compared with $12,248,755.24 for December.

CANTON GOVERNMENT MEETING

Canton, Yesterday.—At the 145th meeting of the Municipal Government held yesterday, the regulations governing the organisations of the public employment agency, and the statement of the estimated preliminary expenses as submitted by the Social Affairs Bureau, were adopted.—Central Press.

The Portuguese light cruiser, Concalves Zarco, arrived in Hong Kong on Friday from Macao. She will sail to-day for Singapore.

U. S. PROTEST TO JAPAN REGARDING OIL MONOPOLY

DANGER TO OTHER PRODUCTS SEEN

NEGOTIATION BREAKDOWN

Washington, Yesterday.

The United States yesterday sent a note to the Japanese Government reiterating its protest against the Manchukuo oil monopoly as a violation of existing treaties and conflicting with the "open door" policy in the Far East.

It is understood that the reiteration of the protest is based on the United States' opposition to the setting-up of a monopoly in oil, which might be extended to other products.

Representatives of the United States oil companies held a series of conferences with the Japanese authorities at Tokyo with the objective of an amicable solution of the problem, but it is understood that the negotiations recently broke down.—Reuter.

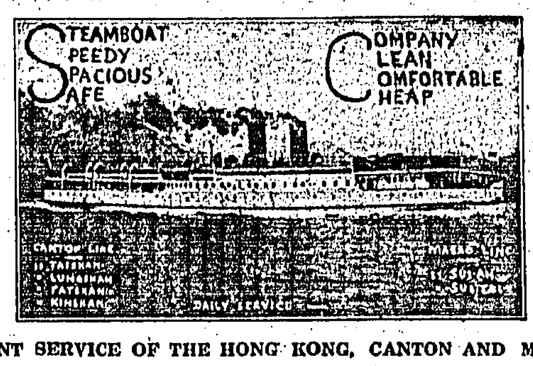
CANTON FARMERS ASSISTED

Financial Aid From The Government

Canton, Yesterday.

With a view to relieving the economic condition of the sericulture villages, the Bureau for the Improvement of Sericulture is contemplating the establishment of several loaning and savings offices in Shuntek County. Their function will be to receive deposits from and make loans to, farmers.

In the absence of financial institutions in sericulture villages, it is usually the practice of farmers to borrow money from well-to-do persons at a high rate of interest. This means a heavy burden to the farmers.—Central Press.



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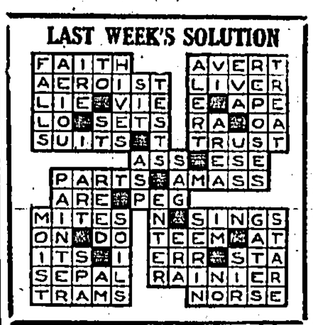

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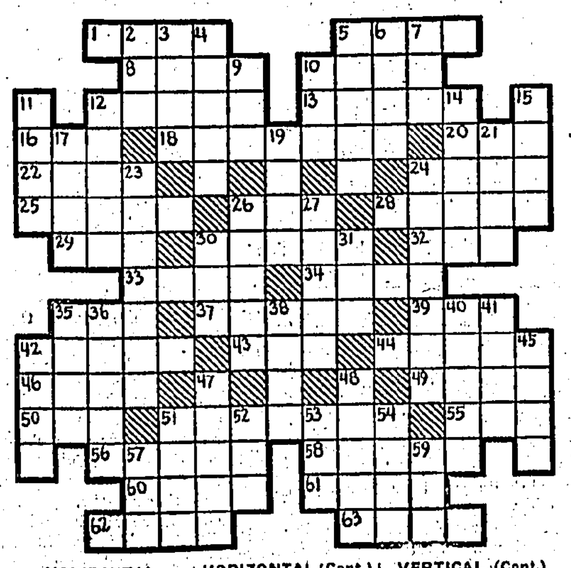
This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL
1-Quote
5-Pack
8-Close by
10-English school
12-To pare the surface of leather
13-Grades
15-A beverage
18-Alphabetic symbols
20-Garden implement
22-Male descendants
24-Rage
25-Goes with a steady, jogging pace
26-Part of the body
28-Opens the mouth wide, as in yawning
29-Epoch
30-Puts up a stake in cards
32-Century (abbr.)
33-An iceberg
34-Burdensome work
35-The whole
37-Free from soil
39-Unit of work
42-Slumber
45-An old English measure

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
44-Hot vapor
46-Enclosures
49-Rescue
50-Crimson
51-Protects
55-Condensed moisture
56-Affirm
58-Loiters
60-Paradise
61-Man's name
62-Scent
63-Profound

VERTICAL
2-Writing fluid
3-The linden tree
4-The projecting edges of a roof
5-Chief actors
6-Small children
7-Unit
9-To steep, as flax
10-Before
11-Gone by
12-A Spanish title
14-Mold
15-An insect (pl.)
17-Wisdom

VERTICAL (Cont.)
19-Small pastry
21-Part of a stove
23-Buildings for horses
24-Tennis bats
26-To use hook and line
27-Heavy, lustrous, malleable element
30-Part of a circle
31-River in Poland
35-To the sheltered side
36-Allows for temporary use
38-Otherwise
40-Peruses
41-Donated
42-Agile
45-Cat cries
47-Restrain from acting
48-Augmented
51-One of the faces of a pedestal
52-Marsh
53-Nothing
54-Plum-like fruit
57-Spread loosely for drying, as flax
59-Point of compass (abbr.)

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GENERAL TSAI RETURNS FROM WORLD TRIP

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NANKING VISIT UNLIKELY

General Tsai Ting-kai, famous ex-commander of the Nineteenth Route Army, whose name rang throughout the whole of China in 1932, when, in defending Greater Shanghai against the Japanese, he personally led his army in an exploit that made him a hero in the eyes of all his countrymen, both at home and abroad, arrived in the Colony on board the s.s. President Coolidge on Friday morning from Manila, thus completing his round-the-world-trip, on which he embarked shortly after the short-lived Fukien Revolution in November, 1933.

Although the General was accorded a great ovation, wherever he went on his trip, he was met by only a few friends on his arrival here.

CHINA'S HOPES

"In spite of all the troubles she is undergoing at the moment, China still has hope of becoming the greatest nation in the Far East," General Tsai remarked in the course of an interview with the *Sunday Herald*. He, however, would not commit himself by stating whether or not China will prosper under the continued reign of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

"Policies can be changed and a leader cannot occupy his throne for ever," he said.

"I cannot say anything more on China," General Tsai continued;" I have been away so long, and the only news I ever received was through an occasional newspaper."

ADMIRES MUSSOLINI

Speaking of his visit to Italy he said, "Premier Mussolini is a great leader, whose courage and ability is necessary and essential to a country like Italy. China needs a man of his courage and power, but dictating a different policy." On the General's arrival in Rome, Premier Mussolini greeted him as "his old friend" whom he had read about in the newspapers, and accorded him an official welcome.

Referring to the certain Chinese Consuls in the United States who were dismissed by the Nanking Government for welcoming him, the General said "Great injustice has been done to these unfortunate men, for they did not accord me any official recognition, neither did they take part in any of the welcome functions.

FUKIEN REVOLT RECALLED

"It was to prevent further casualties that the Peoples' Revolutionary Government in Fukien in 1933, was so short-lived," General Tsai continued, when asked the reason of the failure of the Fukien Revolution. "We had the masses behind us, and with this strength we were confident that we should not encounter any resistance, but our opponents resorted to arms, so, after a few skirmishes, in which many lives were lost, we decided to call the revolution off to prevent further loss of blood."

General Tsai declined to give his opinion of the Nanking Government, and said that he would rather not mention anything at present as he has yet to learn what has happened during his absence. As he was entering a private car, he was asked whether he would go to Nanking in the near future. "What," he exclaimed "to have my myself arrested?"

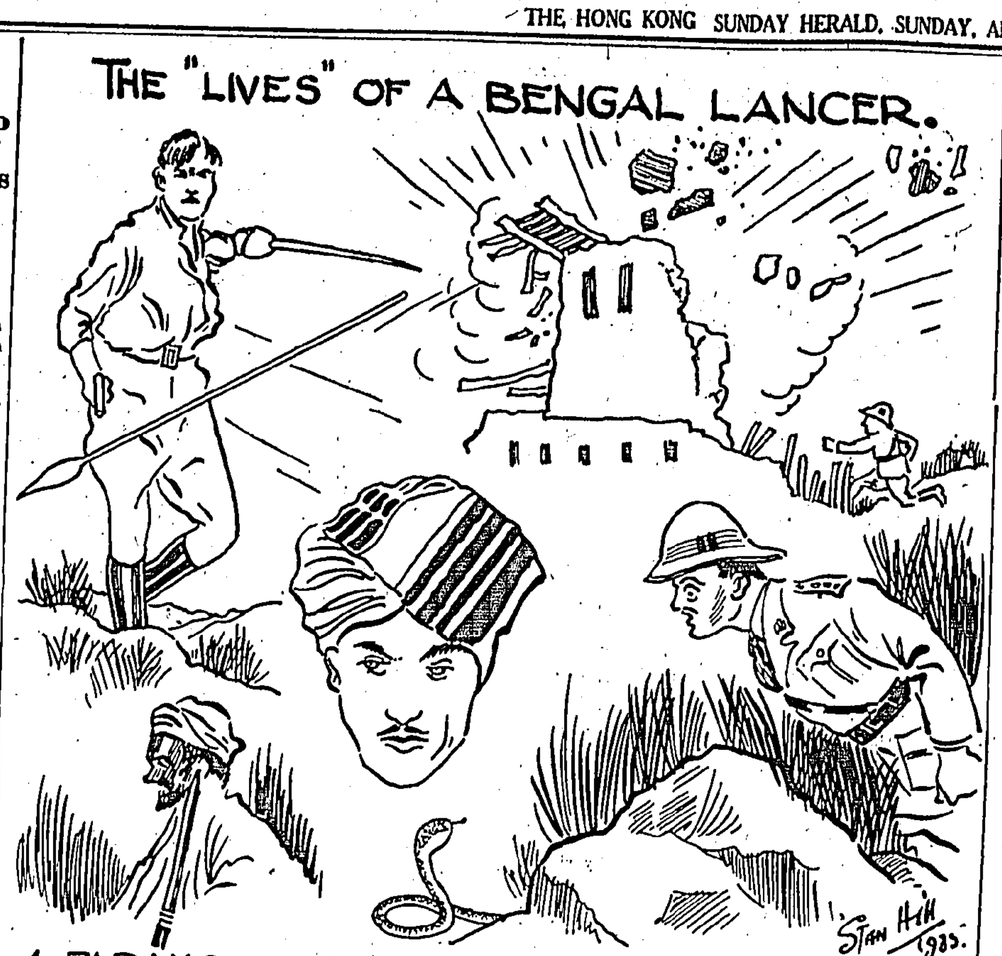
NANKING INVITATION

His secretary, Mr. C. S. Mark, however, stated that letters from Generalissimo Chiang had been received, asking the General to visit Nanking, but he added "the visit may not be for the General's good."

Among those who met General Tsai at the Kowloon Wharf was General Chan Ming-shu the "brains" behind the Fukien Revolution of 1933.

According to arrangements the General should have arrived here by the s.s. President Jefferson, but, owing to numerous requests to stay a few days more made by the Chinese community in Manila, he decided to prolong his stay there for a few days.

Wherever he has gone the General has been widely feted and enthusiastically welcomed by his countrymen, although the majority of the Chinese consuls were obliged to ignore him. In spite of his connection with the Fukien Revolution his courage in resisting the Japanese in the Shanghai war in 1932 is unforgotten, and he is still acclaimed as the national hero.



LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Local music-lovers will be pleased to learn that Madame Madalah Masson has consented to give a second pianoforte recital prior to her departure on Tuesday, April 30, at the Helena May Institute, commencing at 9.15 p.m. An interesting programme has been arranged, which will include works of Bach, Franck, Brahms and Chopin.

To-day is the ninety-second anniversary of the Hong Kong Union Church.

A violin and piano recital will be given by Miss Prue Lewis and Mr. Harry Ore in the Rose Room at the Peninsula Hotel next Thursday at 9.15 p.m. The main item of the programme is to be the Sonata in F major by Greig.

The Canton Rotary Club will hold its annual Charter Day celebration next Thursday evening at Nam Yuen. As usual the club will extend an invitation to the Hong Kong Rotary Club requesting it to send as large a delegation as possible to take part in the celebration.

The s.s. Sirdhana will leave Amoy next Tuesday and is due here on Wednesday afternoon.

For the larceny of a leather purse containing $3.10 from the person of Lo Cho a coolie, at Stanley Street, Man Hon was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday morning.

On the application of Detective-Sergeant Russell, an expulsion order was made by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday morning against Taj Mohamed Khan, for entering the Colony without a valid passport.

The following unclaimed radio telegrams are lying at the Government Radio office: Lau Yeow Sam, Kwong Hing, 5, Wong Kok Road from Bangkok; Egwok from Semarang; and Lam Guoy Park, Care Lun On, 5, Queen St. W. from Seattle, Wash.

Under the auspices of the H. K. University Education Society, Mr. W. G. Dyer M. A. will give a lecture on 'Education in Tropical Africa' next Thursday at 8.30 a.m. in University Union Assembly Hall. All are welcome.

It is notified in the *Government Gazette* that, at the expiration of three months, the name of the Man Kwok Weaving Mills Co., will be struck off the register and the company will be dissolved, unless cause is shown to the contrary.

A Tea Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-day at 4.30 p.m. A half-hourly bus service operates on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

The appointment of Mr. Eric Wimsworth to act as head of the Sanitary Department, during the absence of Mr. William James Carrie, is notified in the *Government Gazette*.

Personal Pars

Mr. Robert Young, chief accountant of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., (South China), returned to the Colony on Friday from a short business trip to Manila, by the s.s. President Coolidge.

Mr. Walter L. Marshall, of the local branch of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co., was among the passengers who arrived in the Colony on Friday by the s.s. President Coolidge from Manila.

Miss Clara Blandick, the Hollywood actress, who is on a round-the-world-cruise, was among the passengers who disembarked from the s.s. President Jackson on Friday.

The Cuban Minister to the Argentine, Dr. Calixto Whitmarsh, and Mrs. Whitmarsh, arrived in the Colony, on a pleasure trip, on the s.s. President Jackson, on Friday.

Mr. N. R. Lynenitche, manager of the Cathay Ceramics Co., Hong Kong, returned from a business trip to Shanghai, by the s.s. President Jackson, on Friday.

Among the passengers who arrived in Hong Kong on Friday by the s.s. President Jackson, was Mr. Hin Lan-yung, local manager of the International Insurance Co., Ltd., who has been on a business trip to Shanghai.

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Chinese Lady Admitted To Bar

Mrs. Peing Hong-oon, a young and pretty Chinese girl, holds the distinction of being the first woman barrister to be admitted to the Bar of the Federated Malay States. In admitting the application, the Chief Justice, Sir Samuel Joyce Thomas, warmly congratulated Mrs. Oon and wished her success in her career.

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Six months' hard labour was imposed on Leung Kung, unemployed, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday morning for the theft of a brown leather handbag from a married woman, Yuen Sau-chan.

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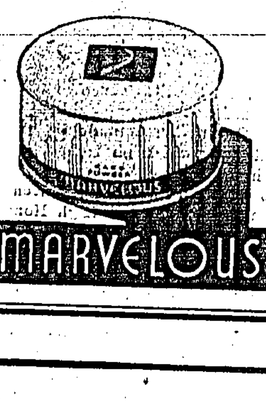

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MR. LEO FROST RIDES FIVE WINNERS IN TEN STARTS AT VALLEY

OWNERS TOSS FOR ST. GEORGE'S CUP

GOLD BULLION PAYS $187.20 DIVIDEND

KING'S WARDEN RETURNS TO FORM AT LAST

MOUNT PILATUS UPSETS PUNTERS

RIDING five winners, a second, and a third in 10 starts, Mr. Leo Frost, champion jockey in 1933, carried off the riding honours on the first day of the Fourth Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley yesterday. He is favoured to be very much in the limelight at the conclusion of the Meeting to-morrow.

The scratching of Herod from the St. George's Plate robbed the Easter classic of much of its glamour, but King's Jubilee (Mr. Frost) and Rose-Queen (Mr. P. Botelho) provided a thrilling finish which the judges declared a dead heat. Mr. G. S. Archbutt, President of the St. George's Society, presented the Cup he had donated to Mr. Eu Tong-sen, owner of Rose-Queen, following the race. As both Mr. T. E. Pearce and Mr. Eu Tong-sen could not have the one cup they sportingly agreed to toss for it, and Mr. Pearce lost.

Gold Bullion (Mr. Neugebaeur) paid the highest dividend of the day — $187.20, and King's Warden (Mr. Roza), very nearly provided a first-class sensation in the Shek Pai Handicap when he was beaten by only half a length by Oak Bay (Mr. Frost) in record time. Oak Bay was making his first appearance in "A" Class for many months and was riding at level weights with Soldier of Britain, who ran unplaced!

Contrary to all expectations the Fourth Extra Race Meeting opened yesterday in bright sunshine, though there was a disappointingly small crowd present before lunch, the highest cash sweep prize being worth only $630, and unplaced ponies paying only $25.

The track looked in a very improved condition, and was not cut up after the first race, the Canton Handicap, which saw six of the eleven entries go to the post with Ribble, holder of the record for a mile and 171 yards, a warm favourite.

King's Bounty (Mr. Frost) was in the lead, with Macaroni (Mr. Davis) on his tail, when the field passed the stands for the first time—Ribble was last. He appeared to be setting a very slow pace, though he gradually quickened the pace until he faltered in the home stretch to allow Macaroni to flash by him and win in 2.12.3, a fifth of a second outside the record. Hetman just secured third position by half a length, while Ribble's late effort secured him fourth placing.

Getting away badly at the start, Ribble refused to run and had to be whipped up the back straight. When he decided to run it was too late.

Mr. Davis's well-judged and popular win paid his supporters $34.90.

Favourite Wins

Mr. Leo Frost, prospective 1935 champion jockey, made no mistake on Mistake Bay in the Wuchow Handicap, though Soldier of Peace (Mr. Deitz) gave the Dunbar favourite a good run up the home straight before being beaten by two lengths—he was more full of finish than Mistake Bay. Foxbridge showed clearly the great strides he has made by taking Mr. Butler into third place, ahead of Flybynight.

Harvest View, of whom much was expected, got away from the gate badly, and never recovered. At the Rock he fell back still further and was then never in the running.

Flybynight set the pace with Gold Coin in close attendance. Mistake Bay, which was in the fourth position up to the Rock, took the lead on the corner into the home straight to win by two lengths.

Mount Pilatus Inside Record

Mr. D. Black's judicious training of Mount Pilatus bore fruit in the New Bridge Handicap when he got away to a flying start and beat Got That, the favourite, by three quarters of a length, with Night Star (Mr. Pih) in third place and Bobniak Star fourth.

The time of 1.03.3 was four-fifths of a second inside Able Amazon's track record, but Mount Pilatus was taken out at 14 lbs. below weight for inches, thus making his effort only an unofficial one. The last half mile was covered in 0.51.0.

Derby Day again failed to break away from the gate satisfactorily, and the result was that his early effort to secure second place at the Rock was altogether too much for him and he finished last—a big disappointment after his 0.51.0 half mile last Thursday morning.

Mr. Frost Again Wins

Mr. Proulx got Valorous away like a flash in the Fatshan Handicap, but, despite a lead of some half a dozen lengths at the Rock, he was unable to place.

Mr. Frost recorded his second win of the afternoon when he piloted. The Tiger, the favourite, to a four lengths win over Bistro (Mr. Pan), after being second to Valorous until passing the Rock. Monoplane was a poor third, ahead of Wayward Stag and Don in a fast-run race for "C" Class ponies.

St. George's Plate Dead Heat

Some surprise was occasioned when it was seen that Herod, pride of the Hem stable, had been held over from the St. George's Plate. In his absence King's Jubilee and Rose-Queen were made the favourites against High Honour.

The Dynasty candidate was sent into the lead with Rose-Queen in close attendance and High Honour a length in arrears. This order was maintained in a very slow race until the home stretch was reached. Mr. Botelho then brought Rose-Queen through nicely and it looked to be his race 100 yards from the post, but Mr. Frost staged a brilliant comeback on King's Jubilee to force a dead heat, with High Honour four lengths behind. It was the most exciting finish of the afternoon, and yet another instance of jockeyship deciding the issue.

Wadebridge's Win

Mr. C. Taylor is to be congratulated on a well-judged ride on Wadebridge in the Honam Handicap for novice riders. He kept in the rear until approaching the last quarter when he brought Mrs. Pearce's entry through in great style to beat Valley View (Mr. W. H. Choy) by six lengths. Double Chance filled the minor position and Belmont Star placed fourth in a fast run race.

The Chetah went well at the start, but he found his own pace too much and was beaten at the Rock.

Oak Bay's Record

A first-class sensation was almost provided in the Shek Pai Handicap when King's Warden (Mr. Roza) was beaten by only half a length by Oak Bay (Mr. Frost). There were only 27 out of 1916 tickets on him for a win, and if the pony had not run so wide on the corner into the home straight he would have won!

Promoted after a long stay in "B" Class, Oak Bay not only won, but shattered Trentbridge's five furlongs mark, clipping no less than one and one-fifth seconds off the former record. Leading all the way round his time was 0.18.4; 0.40.0; and 1.02.2. Macaroni took third place under Mr. Davis, while Soldier of Britain was fourth.

King's Warden provided a rare surprise — he finished full of running. The failure of Soldier of Britain, the favourite, was also in the nature of a shock considering the almost perfect conditions. King's Justice was considered a good thing in some quarters, but was never in the picture.

Gold Bullion's Surprise Win

The highest dividend of the day was returned in the Swatow Handicap when Gold Bullion (Mr. Neugebaeur) caught the judges' eyes, a neck in front of Tiny Star (Mr. Pih), to pay $187.20 and $77.10 for a place. What A Chance paid $59 for his third place, ahead of King's Parade, the second favourite.

Great Hall got away to a poor start and his early efforts to secure a good position nullified his efforts over a distance just a furlong too far for him.

What A Chance set the pace up to the Rock, was displaced, and then came again in fine style. Iron Grey, the favourite, made a spurt at the Rock, but was nowhere at the finish.

Race Lost At Start

Snowy River and St. Joan gave trouble at the start of the St. Kilda Handicap, and it was this failing that deprived St. Joan of a win. Not quite on her toes at the start, she allowed Goldsmith to break away into a four lengths lead, and was consequently beaten by two lengths in the fast time of 1.05.2.

Goldsmith (Mr. Deitz) deserved his success after leading from the start, though he was being rapidly overhauled in the home stretch. Shooting Star lasted the pace well and was only half a length behind St. Joan in a fighting finish. The Giraffe finished fourth.

Mr. Frost's Fifth Winner

Forget-me-not set a fast pace in the Kongmun Stakes, but faltered badly in the home straight, where Lion-Hunter (Mr. Frost) came through perfectly to win by a comfortable margin from High West (Mr. Proulx), with Coppersmith in third place, ahead of Bold Captain.

This race provided Mr. Frost with his fifth win in nine starts, a very rare feat at Happy Valley.

Sarabande Surprise

Copper Idol (Mr. Deitz), the favourite, cantered home in the Swatow Handicap after Fudge had upset the field with a fast first half-mile. Soldier of Fortune, the second favourite, however, finished fourth.

Sarabande (Mr. Pan), with only 68 tickets, out of 1721 on for a win, secured second place, beating Warrington (Mr. P. Botelho) by a length.

Detailed results were as follow:—

1.—12.30 p.m.—Canton Handicap.—Winner $500. Second $225. Third $125. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Entrance $5. From Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

Hem's Macaroni 144 lb. ..... (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 1
Dynasty's Hetman 150 lb. ... (Mr. E. O. Butler) 2
Dynasty's King's Bounty 156 lb. ..... (Mr. L. G. Frost) 3

Also ran:—Bright View, 154 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Ribble, 158 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Soldier of China, 149 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz).

6 starters

Won by a length and half a length.

Time: 2.12.3.

	Winner	Places
Ribble	337	404
Bright View	169	241
Soldier of China	129	131
Macaroni	122	128
Hetman	111	124
King's Bounty	107	86

Pari-mutuel, winner $34.90; places, 1st $13.70; 2nd $13.60; 3rd $17.40.

2.—1.00 p.m.—Wuchow Handicap.—Winner $450. Second $200. Third $100. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season that have won $1,000 or less in stakes. Entrance $5. One Mile.

L. Dunbar's Mistake Bay 161 lb. ..... (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Li Shiu Pang's Soldier of Peace 153 lb. ..... (Mr. N. Deitz) 2
Mrs. Pearce's Foxbridge 144 lb. .... (Mr. E. O. Butler) 3

Also ran:—Arctic Star, 140 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Flirt, 161 lb., (Mr. G. Neugebaeur); Flybynight, 154 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Gold Coin, 158 lb., (Mr. Tang Man Wa); Harvest View, 154 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Jolly Eyes, 140 lb., (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Victoria Hall 153 lb., (Mr. G. U. da Roza).

10 starters.

Won by 2 lengths and 1½ lengths.

Time: 2.01.4.

Pari-mutuel, winner $8.70; places, 1st $6.30; 2nd $7.90; 3rd $9.10.

	Winner	Places
Mistake Bay	672	512
Harvest View	162	194
Flirt	124	172
Foxbridge	115	158
Soldier of Peace	101	223
Victoria Hall	42	73
Gold Coin	33	51
Flybynight	25	64
Arctic Star	17	28
Jolly Eyes	12	9

3.—2.30 p.m.—New Bridge Handicap.—Winner $450. Second $250. Third $150. For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Entrance $5. Five Furlongs.

J. B. Harrison's Mount Pilatus 138 lb. ..... (Mr. D. Black) 1
Seth's Got That 156 lb. ..... (Mr. L. G. Frost) 2
E. S. K.'s Night Star 150 lb .. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 3

Also ran:—Bobniak Star, 162 lb., (Mr. E. O. Butler); Derby Day, 157 lb., (Mr. G. U. de Roza); Southern Cross, 155 lb., (Mr. B. A. Proulx).

6 starters.

Won by three-quarters of a length and a neck.

Time: 1.03.3.

Pari-mutuel, winner $26.90; places, 1st $7.40; 2nd $6.30; 3rd $7.80.

	Winner	Places
Got That	340	507
Bobniak Star	284	248
Mount Pilatus	224	261
Night Star	208	234
Southern Cross	214	217
Derby Day	103	116

4.—3.00 p.m.—Fatshan Handicap.—Winner $450. Second $200. Third $100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Griffins of this Season barred. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

Tester & Abraham's The Tiger 160 lb. ... (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Lee's Bistre 155 lb. ..... (Mr. S. N. Pan) 2
Dr. Lee Shiu Kee's Monoplane 156 lb. ... (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 3

Also ran:—Daylight Eve, 156 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Don, 149 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz); Gay Crusader, 158 lb., (Mr. K. W. Fung); Jungle Jim, 168 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Lemberg, 158 lb., (Mr. C. D. A. Gregory); Mayflower, 153 lb., (Mr. F. F. Li); Racing Boy, 145 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Spinaway, 161 lb., (Mr. G. R. Cheape); Valorous, 155 lb., (Mr. B. A. Proulx); Wayward Stag, 154 lb., (Mr. G. Neugebaeur).

13 starters.

Won by 4 lengths and 3 lengths.

Time: 1.28.2.

Pari-mutuel, winner $17.30; places, 1st $7.60; 2nd $19.90; 3rd $8.60.

	Winner	Places
The Tiger	407	522
Don	336	431
Monoplane	329	385
Valorous	200	288
Wayward Stag	86	84
Bistre	71	93
Racing Boy	55	91
Jungle Jim	48	67
Daylight Eve	27	48
Gay Crusader	25	38
Mayflower	10	17
Lemberg	10	16
Spinaway	8	11

5.—3.30 p.m.—St. George's Plate.—A Cup presented: with $600 added for Winner. Second $250. Third $150. A Handicap for China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Entrance $5. One and a Quarter Miles.

Eu Tong Sen's Rose Queen 154 lb. .. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 1
Dynasty's King's Jubilee 158 lb. .. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
L.T.F.'s H'gh Honour 154 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 3

3 starters.

Dead heat and four lengths.

Time: 2.38.3.

Pari-mutuel, winner $5.10; places, 1st $5.10; 2nd $5.20; 3rd $5.10.

	Winner	Places
King's Jubilee	550	67
Rose-Queen	538	51
High Honour	169	22

6.—4.00 p.m.—Honam Handicap.—Winner $400. Second $175. Third $75. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season that have won $200 or more in stakes. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance $5. One Mile.

Mrs. Pearce's Wadebridge 168 lb. ..... (Mr. C. Taylor) 1
Lan's Valley View 155 lb. .... (Mr. W. H. Choy) 2
H. J. Law's Double Chance 151 lb. ..... (Mr. Choy Wing Chiu) 3

Also ran:—Belmont Star, 148 lb., (Mr. K. W. Fung); Gold Picker, 150 lb., (Mr. Tang Man Wa); Invincible Knight, 150 lb., (Mr. S. K. Lee); Strathaird, 140 lb., (Mr. E. H. Carvalho); The Chetah, 161 lb., (Mr. F. F. Li); Touchstone, 140 lb., (Mr. C. D. A. Gregory).

9 starters.

	Winner	Places
Wadebridge	308	333
Valley View	245	392
The Chetah	231	301
Gold Picker	208	213
Double Chance	158	215
Belmont Star	121	118
Invincible Knight	80	72
Touchstone	40	53
Strathaird	16	28

7.—4.30 p.m.—Shek Pai Handicap.—Winner $550. Second $250. Third $150. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of $5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1935, barred. Entrance $5. Five Furlongs.

L. Dunbar's Oak Bay 161 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Dynasty's King's Warden 156 lb. .... (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
Hem's Gladiator 148 lb. ..... (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 3

Also ran:—Cossack's Beauty, 161 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang); King's Justice, 152 lb., (Mr. E. O. Butler); Salko, 155 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Soldier of Britain, 161 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz).

7 starters.

Won by half a length and half a length.

Time: 1.09.2 (record).

Pari-mutuel, winner $15.30; places, 1st $7.00; 2nd $48.00; 3rd $11.00.

	Winner	Places
Soldier of Britain	787	487
Oak Bay	547	591
Gladiator	192	200
King's Justice	163	214
Cossack's Beauty	152	169
Salko	46	62
King's Warden	27	28

8.—5.00 p.m.—Swatow Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner $400. Second $175. Third $75. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season barred. Entrance $5. One Mile.

L.T.F.'s Gold Bullion 155 lb. (Mr. G. Neugebaeur) 1
C. N. K.'s Tiny Star 154 lb. .. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2
Pau's What A Chance 168 lb. (Mr. D. Black) 3

Also ran:—Cavalcade, 161 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Great Hall, 161 lb., (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Iron Grey, 145 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz); King's Parade, 149 lb., (Mr. L. G. Frost); Limelight, 158 lb., (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Partnership, 140 (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Pride of Tsingtao, 155 lb., (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Young Chap, 143 lb., (Mr. E. O. Butler).

11 starters.

Won by a neck and a neck.

Time: 2.04.1.

Pari-mutuel, winner $187.20; places, 1st $77.10; 2nd $14.70; 3rd $59.00.

	Winner	Places
Iron Grey	316	356
King's Parade	261	491
Pride of Tsingtao	239	204
Tiny Star	202	244
Great Hall	180	211
Young Chap	131	251
Cavalcade	86	88
Partnership	37	119
Gold Bullion	37	33
What A Chance	31	44
Limelight	5	12

9.—5.30 p.m.—St. Kilda Handicap.—Winner $450. Second $250. Third $150. For Australian Ponies, "B" Class. Entrance $5. Five Furlongs.

	Winner	Places
Lion-Hunter	602	547
High West	273	260
Coppersmith	235	242
Bold Captain	232	273
Bold Major	102	135
Beginner's Luck	83	105
Flamingo	64	81
Forget-me-not	58	76
The Snipe	28	46
Winkfield	14	11
Blacksmith	12	22
The Pike	12	14
Pavane	11	18
Locksley Hall	9	13
The Omadhuan	4	11

11.—6.30 p.m.—Swatow Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner $400. Second $175. Third $75. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season barred. Entrance $5. One Mile.

Finder's Copper Idol 155 lb. (Mr. N. Deitz) 1
Wong Ping Shun's Sarabande 152 lb. .... (Mr. S. N. Pan) 2
Ulster's Warrington 166 lb.... (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 3

Also ran:—Chesterfield, 154 lb., (Mr. L. G. Frost); Fi-Fa, 142 lb., (Mr. D. Black); Fudge, 158 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang); In Good Time, 158 lb., (Mr. G. Neugbaeur); Soldier of Fortune, 158 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih)

8 starters.

Won by two lengths and a length.

Time: 2.06.3.

Pari-mutuel winner $14.50; places, 1st $8.30; 2nd $20.80; 3rd $9.80.

	Winner	Places
Copper Idol	321	521
Soldier of Fortune	318	316
Warrington	249	255
In Good Time	178	186
Fudge	154	166
Chesterfield	113	104
Fi-Fa	107	108
Sarabande	68	69

HOW THE OWNERS FARED

The following was how the owners fared yesterday:

	1st	2nd	3rd
L. Dunbar	2	0	0
Dynasty	1	2	1
Hem	1	0	1
Mrs. Pearce	1	0	1
L. T. F.	1	0	1
J. B. Harrison	1	0	0
Tester & Abraham	1	0	0
Eu Tong Sen	1	0	0
Why	1	0	0
Mrs. Stephen Lam	1	0	0
Finder	1	0	0
Li Shiu Pang	0	1	0
Seth	0	1	0
Lee	0	1	0
Lan	0	1	0
C. N. K.	0	1	0
Mrs. D. J. Lewis	0	1	0
Bellamy & Gordon	0	1	0
Wong Ping Shun	0	1	0
E. S. K.	0	0	1
Dr. Lee Shiu Kee	0	0	1
H. J. Law	0	0	1
Pau	0	0	1
S. L. K.	0	0	1
Yeung Bros.	0	0	1
Ulster	0	0	1
Totals	12	10	11

There was one dead-heat for first place.

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Daily Double Betting Statistics

The following were yesterday's "daily double" figures:

First Leg:

Bistre (10), Daylight Eve (7), Don (110), Gay Crusader (5), Jungle Jim (15), Lemberg (2), Mayflower (5), Monoplane (105), Racing Boy (14), Spinaway (0), The Tiger (119), Valorous (75), and Wayward Stag (14).

Second Leg:

Belmont Star (9), Double Chance (11), Gold Picker (22), Invincible Knight (2), Strathaird (0), The Chetah (29), Touchstone (2), Valley View (15), and Wadebridge (26)

Why's Goldsmith 154 lb. ..... (Mr. N. Deitz) 1
Mrs. D. J. Lewis's St. Joan 147 lb. ..... (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 2
S. L. K.'s Shooting Star 156 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler) 3

Also ran:—Racing Lass, 135 lb., (Mr. W. G. Poy); Snowy River, 159 (Mr. H. C. Pih); The Bean Goose, 157 lb., (Mr. L. G. Frost); The Giraffe, 152 lb., (Mr. D. Black); Vixen Tor, 135 lb., (Mr. C. D. A. Gregory).

8 starters.

Won by 2 lengths and half a length.

Time: 1.05.2.

Pari-mutuel, winner $18.40; places, 1st $7.10; 2nd $7.20; $7.00.

	Winner	Places
Goldsmith	445	337
Shooting Star	331	347
St. Joan	333	329
The Bean Goose	326	362
Snowy River	326	313
The Giraffe	50	82
Vixen Tor	33	40
Racing Lass	12	28

10.—6.00 p.m.—Kongmun Stakes.—Winner $400. Second $175. Third $75. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season that have won less than $200 in stakes. Weight for inches as per scale. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

Mrs. Stephen Lam's Lion-Hunter 152 lb. ..... (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Bellamy & Gordon's High West 158 lb. .. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 2
Yeung Bros.' Coppersmith 153 lb. (Mr. G. Neugebaeur) 3

Also ran:—Beginner's Luck, 156 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Blacksmith, 158 lb., (Mr. Tang Man Wa); Bold Captain, 158 (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Bold Major, 155 lb., (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Flamingo, 155 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz); Forget-me-not, 158 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Locksley Hall, 155 lb., (Mr. S. N. Pan); Pavane, 155 lb., (Mr. F. F. Li); The Omadhuan, 158 lb., (Mr. C. Taylor); The Pike, 158 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang); The Snipe, 152 lb., (Mr. W. H. S. Davis); Winkfield, 152 lb., (Mr. E. O. Butler).

15 starters.

Won by three lengths and a length.

Time: 1.33.1.

Pari-mutuel, winner $12.70; places 1st $6.80; 2nd $8.70; 3rd $8.90.

	Winner	Places
Goldsmith	445	337
Shooting Star	331	347
St. Joan	333	329
The Bean Goose	326	362
Snowy River	326	313
The Giraffe	50	82
Vixen Tor	33	40
Racing Lass	12	28

HOW THE JOCKEYS FARED

The following was how the jockeys fared yesterday:

	1	2	3	Un.
L. G. Frost	5	1	1	3
N. Deitz	2	1	0	5
W. H. S. Davis	1	0	1	1
D. Black	1	0	1	2
G. Neugebaeur	1	0	1	3
P. P. Botelho	1	0	1	5
C. Taylor	1	0	0	1
S. N. Pan	0	2	0	1
B. A. Proulx	0	2	0	2
E. O. Butler	0	1	2	4
H. C. Pih	0	1	2	6
W. H. Choy	0	1	0	0
G. U. da Roza	0	1	0	4
Y. T. Fung	0	0	1	3
Choy Wing Chiu	0	0	1	0
G. R. Cheape	0	0	0	1
S. K. Lee	0	0	0	1
E. H. Carvalho	0	0	0	1
A. A. R. Botelho	0	0	0	1
W. G. Poy	0	0	0	2
K. W. Fung	0	0	0	2
Tang Man Wa	0	0	0	3
C. D. A. Gregory	0	0	0	3
F. F. Li	0	0	0	3
S. Y. Liang	0	0	0	7
Totals	12	10	11	63

There was one dead heat for first place.

Cash Sweeps At A Glance

Race 1.

No. 802	$525.80
„ 1240	178.80
„ 555	89.40

Unplaced runners ($25 each), Nos.: 1075, 842, 260.

Race 2.

No. 85	630.00
„ 438	180.00
„ 741	90.00

Unplaced runners ($25 each), Nos.: 174, 892, 353, 746, 1400, 423, 894.

Race 3

No. 274	$788.90
„ 469	225.40
„ 662	112.70

Unplaced runners ($50 each) Nos.:—487, 1027, 475.

Race 4.

No. 624	785.40
„ 1037	224.40
„ 1058	112.20

Unplaced runners ($25 each), Nos.: 156, 1569, 905, 1532, 1268, 735, 1778, 1646, 824, 985.

Race 5.

No. 1563	622.35
„ 1514	622.35
„ 1532	138.30

Race 6.

No. 345	827.40
„ 380	236.40
„ 28	118.20

Unplaced runners ($50 each), Nos.: 10, 814, 1861, 1853, 1897, 888.

Race 7.

No. 576	$875.70
„ 174	250.20
„ 1792	125.10

Unplaced runners ($50 each), Nos.: 535, 1698, 239, 1154.

Race 8

No. 83	757.40
„ 1807	216.40
„ 1744	108.20

Unplaced runners ($50 each), Nos.: 738, 1047, 14, 1360, 546, 1820, 1470, 1314.

Race 9.

No. 584	851.10
„ 239	243.40
„ 1537	121.70

Unplaced runners ($50 each), Nos.: 311, 1191, 771, 1494, 452.

Race 10

No. 1765	$713.30
„ 1003	203.80
„ 938	101.90

Unplaced runners ($50 each), Nos.:—1039, 1001, 1512, 87, 2083, 696, 329, 1687, 198, 184, 170, 1897.

Race 11

No. 2118	$995.40
„ 1560	284.40
„ 1435	142.20

Unplaced runners ($50 each), Nos.:—962, 1779, 612, 1802, 296.

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The Charitable Collection Sub-Committee is providing boxes for the purpose of the collection and all those who wish to assist in this laudable object are asked to communicate with the Honourable Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D., of China Building, Hong Kong, who is representing the Chinese Sub-Committee formed for this purpose or to Mr. S. F. Balfour of the Colonial Secretariat, Hongkong, who will arrange for collecting boxes to be forwarded.

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Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 25th April, 1935.
By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 21st April, 1935.

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Managers of business firms and others who have employees are informed that special collection boxes for the Jubilee $1 Collection are now available at 6 Ning Yuen Terrace, temporary headquarters of the St. John Ambulance Brigade; telephone No. 26286.

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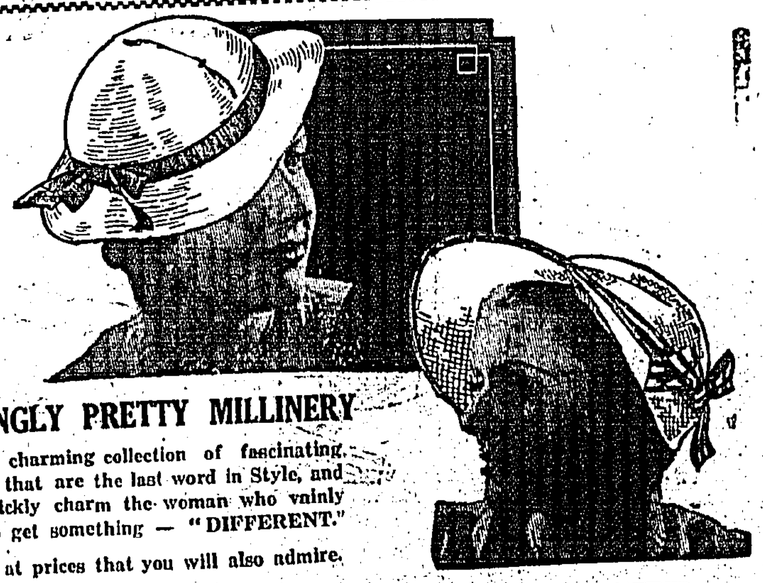

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KWANGTUNG TROOPS PURSUE REDS

Government Forces To Combine

FURIOUS BATTLE PREDICTED

Canton, Yesterday.

According to a telegram from Kweiyang, the Government forces, who were in hot pursuit of the Reds who had retreated toward the west, have recovered Ting-fan and Kwang-shun and are now pushing in the direction of An-shan.

With the object of diverting the attention of the Government forces, the Reds are escaping by two routes. One group retreated toward Kwan-ling and the other in the direction of Annan. The forces of various routes have decided to mass at An-shun first and then push by different routes to pursue the retreaters. It is predicted that furious battles will occur in the eight districts along the Pan-kong River.

While the Kweichow troops, under General Yiao Kwok-tsai, have been switched to Chung-fah-kong to strengthen the defence in that region, two divisions of Yunnan units are massing at Kok-ching on the border of Yunnan and Kweichow in readiness for enveloping the retreating outlaws.

The Kwangsi Seventh Army Corps, which was stationed at Ma-chang-ping, moved toward Kwang-shun on Sunday last. The vanguard is reported to have effected a juncture with the forces under General Sun Tu.—Central Press.

RED BID TO TAKE ANSHUN

Frustrated By Arrival Of Re-Inforcements

Canton, Yesterday.

General Li Chung-jen was in receipt of a telegram yesterday from the Kwangsi Seventh Army Corps, in Kweichow, stating that Anshun is still in the hands of the Government forces. According to the telegram, the Reds, having passed through Kwan-ling, attempted to occupy Anshun, but due to the arrival of the re-inforcements of the Government troops the attempt was frustrated. They are now escaping in the direction of Hing-jin.

Interviewed, General Chang Yen-min, Chief-of-Staff of the Kwangsi Fourth Group Army, told local pressmen that the Fifth Division of the Kwangtung troops, which was despatched to assist in the anti-Red campaign, has reached Ho-chi and the Sixth Division has arrived at Leuchow.—Central Press.

KWANGTUNG'S ARMY AND NAVY

General Chen Chi-Tang In Supreme Control

Canton, Yesterday.

Following the adoption by the South-west Political Council of his proposal for the reorganization of the headquarters of the naval forces of the First Group Army, and the Kwangtung fleet, under Rear-Admiral Kiang Shi-yuen, into a naval general headquarters, and the appointment of him concurrently as Commander-in-Chief of the navy, General Chen Chi-tang formally took up his new post at 3 p.m. yesterday.

Following the inaugural ceremony, General Chen appointed Rear-Admiral Kiang Shi-yuen and Chang Chih-ying Vice Commander-in-chief of the navy and Li Ching-wen Chief-of-Staff of the naval headquarters.

It is learned that General Chen's object of making the proposition for the reorganization of the two headquarters into one is to have the power of commanding naval forces in this province.—Central Press.

LONDON TRIP TO AMSTERDAM

At 220 Miles An Hour

Two new air liner speed records were set up recently.

Carrying nine passengers, a nineton Luft Hansa air liner flew the 220 miles from London to Amsterdam in exactly an hour. A similar air liner, carrying over a ton of mail, reached Cologne, at an average speed of 208 miles per hour.

Armand and Diana, who have recently completed a successful tour in Manila, will appear at the Tea and Dinner Dances at the Hong Kong Hotel to-day and at the Dinner Dance at the Peninsula Hotel to-morrow.

Hong Kong Personalities

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when the American Consulate looked after the interests of British and French nationals and later, Spanish and Russian, and passed on to them the relief funds sent by their respective governments, until this became no longer possible. He has many interesting tales to tell (and many more that he won't) of the various prominent British who were 'taking the waters' at Carlsbad and were caught there when the War turned Europe upside down.

In 1914 Mr. Hoover was transferred to Prague, where he remained till 1916, whence he went to Sao Paulo, Brazil. This post he resigned, for reasons of health, in 1920 and, the following year, was appointed Consul of the Free City of Danzig, where he served for one year. His next appointment was to Batavia, where he served, first as Consul and, later, from May to October 1927, as Consul-General. Thence he went to Amsterdam, as Consul-General, remaining there until he was transferred to Hong Kong in October last.

The thirty-seven previous sketches were of Sir William Shenton Kt., the Hon. Mr. W. H. Bell, Sir William Hornell, Kt., C.I.E., LL.D., M.A., the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D., Commodore F. Elliott, O.B.E., the Hon. Dr. S. W. T'so, O.B.E., LL.D., Mr. Eric Mitchell O.B.E., Mr. T. B. Wilson, M. Soulange Teissier, the Marquis de Ficalho, Mr. Louis H. Gourley, the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe C.M.G., Herr H. Gipperich, Sir Shou-son Chow, Kt. M. D. Drummond, Cav. Uff. A. Blanconi, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., Mr. G. C. Pelham, Senor Fernando Alegre, H.E. Sir Wm. Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., H.E. Major-General O. C. Borrett C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., Mr. J. T. Bagram, Major V. E. Duclos M.C., Lt.-Col. G. D. R. Black O.B.E., Mr W. J. Carrie, Mr. M. Rivera Iglesias Mr. A. M. Bowes-Smith, Mr. M. J. B. Montargis, Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., Sir Robert Ho Tung, Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., Mr. N. J. Perrin, Mr. J. L. McPherson, M.B.E., Sr. Bonachea y Romero, Mr. Wai Shiu-pak, Mr. V. Sorby, and Sr. Trinidad E. Lacayo.

CANTON FIGHTING OX MURRAIN

Further Steps To Be Taken

Canton, Yesterday.

The result of the campaign recently launched by the Agriculture and Forestry Bureau against ox murrain is said to be very satisfactory. The Bureau has decided to take further steps. They are as follows:

(1) To establish an examination station at the West River, whose function it is to examine the cattle imported from Kwangsi with the exception of those sold to butchers; (2) To establish a blood-purifier making department in the Bureau; and (3) To continue the inoculation training class. — Central Press.

MAN LIVES WITH RUBBER HEART

Worked By Minute Electric Motor

Moscow.

A sailor who was stabbed in the heart during a quarrel was taken to the surgery of Professor Smirnov, who last year startled the world by restoring a man to life 45 minutes after his heart had stopped.

The sailor's heart was taken out and replaced by an artificial rubber heart worked by a tiny electric motor. This kept the blood in circulation while the wound in the natural heart was being stitched. The natural heart was then replaced, the whole operation having taken one hour and 40 minutes.

The sailor is making good progress.

This is the fifth operation of its kind performed by Professor Smirnov with the aid of an artificial heart.

BRITAIN AND THE FLYING-BOAT

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British designers have all along preferred the biplane, not only because it permits a shorter span, but because, strength for strength, it is lighter, enables a greater military or commercial load to be carried, and facilitates a shorter take-off run.

Imperial Airways flying boats are of long-proved excellence, and so good is British design that the French acquired the manufacturing rights of one type, the Short "Calcutta," now made in considerable numbers in France. One British commercial six-engined boat was begun, but in the crisis of financial depression a few years ago the order was countermanded.

BALINESE TROUPE IN SHANGHAI

The troupe of Balinese dancers, who were recently in Hong Kong, for a brief visit, arrived in Shanghai from Canton last week by the s.s. Tsinan on an extended engagement.

AMERICA NOT TO AGGRAVATE ARMS SITUATION

Senate Munitions Committee Decision

OBSOLETE CONTROVERSIES TO BE AVOIDED

Washington, Yesterday.

Senator Gerald P. Nye, the Chairman, announced that the Senate Munitions investigators had agreed, after a conference at the White House with President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, to "avoid any action likely to a raise complications with foreign Governments."

It was in connection with investigations into the war-time files of Messrs. J. P. Morgan and Company, it is understood, that the investigators were summoned to the White House, as a result of the hope informally expressed by the British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, that when it was proposed to investigate the war-time correspondence of certain United States banks in connection with Allied purchases of munitions, the danger should be borne in mind of reviving long obsolete controversies which might have an undesirable effect on the present international situation.

Senator Nye added that the Committee had agreed to consult the State Department in regard to any correspondence the publication of which might possibly cause embarrassement.

It is understood that President Roosevelt expressed neither disapproval nor approval of these arrangements nor suggested that the activities of the Committee should be curtailed.—Reuter.

LAUREL AND HARDY PART

AFTER 7 YEARS

Hollywood.

The famous comedy partnership of Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy has broken up after seven years.

Mr. Harold Roach, their producer, has announced that Laurel, who is British, has not signed the new contract owing to inability to agree to the stories of certain films.

Hardy, however, is staying on at the studio alone.

Stan Laurel, meek and woebegone, always in trouble, and his friend Oliver Hardy, 18 stone, long-suffering in face of his friend's uproarious mistakes, have been Hollywood's greatest laughter makers.

Laurel, who was born in Ulverston, Lancashire, was understudying Charlie Chaplin in Fred Karno's company when he was 17.

He was persuaded to enter films but met with no great success until he and Hardy became partners.

In 1932 Laurel and Hardy visited Great Britain, and were everywhere given great receptions.

Hardy said then: "Since we first started work we have never had a cross word."

And Laurel?

"Ollie is the kindest man I know. He wouldn't hurt a fly. It's a pleasure to work with him."

HOSPITAL NEARS COMPLETION

The large Chungshan Hospital, for the construction of which the Rockefeller Foundation has donated $700,000, will be completed before the end of this year.

Roamed Arctic Regions Alone For Two Years

Churchill (Manitoba).

Missing for two years in Canada's Frozen North, a 24-year-old adventurer, named David Erwin, has "come back from the dead."

Bored by the humdrum life of his home-town of Sarcoxie (U.S.A.), Irwin joined a Canadian expedition that was driving reindeer into the Arctic two years ago.

He left the expedition near Aklavik, in the north-western corner of Canada, and set out alone with a camera and a dog team.

For two years only vague reports from trappers and natives told of Irwin's possible trail. Fears were expressed for his safety.

Now the young explorer has turned up at Baker Lake, 400 miles north-east of Churchill.

Weakened by privation, he was rescued by nomadic natives near Cockburn Bay and taken to Baker Lake.

On his lonely trek Irwin covered thousands of miles of icy wastes inside the Arctic Circle, penetrating as far north as Boothia Peninsula.

"Old-timers" describe his journey as one of the most remarkable of its kind in the recent history of the Arctic.

TO-DAY'S "SUNDAY HERALD" INTERNATIONAL SOCCER FINAL

TO-DAY'S SECOND DIVISION SOCCER PROGRAMME

SHIELD HOLDERS MEET S. CHINA

FUSILIERS AND ARTILLERY IN "NEEDLE" CLASH

Some good soccer should be witnessed at Chatham Road this afternoon when the Fusiliers entertain the Artillery in their Second Division clash, while South China meet the Junior Shield holders, the Engineers, at Caroline Hill.

Following their win over the Club juniors yesterday, the Fusiliers are expected to account for the Gunners, who have displayed mediocre form this season.

Weak South China

Although South China were a team to be reckoned with a season ago, they have sadly deteriorated and the Junior Shield holders should experience no difficulty in taking both points.

In spite of their win over the East Lancs in the Junior Shield final, the Sappers have not displayed true champions' form, and only last Wednesday went down to the East Lancs, whom they had easily accounted for on the previous Saturday.

Howlett Reinstated

Howlett was badly missed on Wednesday from the centre-forward berth, and there is a likelihood of him being reinstated as leader for this afternoon's clash.

There is only one Third Division encounter — the Ordnance Corps are at home to the Fusiliers at Caroline Hill.

Next Year's Champions?

Although the Fusiliers have not performed anything like serious challengers this season, they have given us an indication of what they are capable of, and will be one of the leading teams next season, when they have properly settled down.

They are at present lying fifth in the League table, but with three games in hand have a chance of becoming the runners-up.

The following is to-day's League programme giving the favoured team in capital letters:—

SECOND DIVISION
FUSILIERS v Artillery
(Chatham Road, 3.15 p.m.)
South China v ENGINEERS
(Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)
FIRST DIVISION
R.A.O.C. v FUSILIERS
(Caroline Hill, 3.15 p.m.)

LATE GOAL BY LANCS SAVES POINT

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Play again settled down to a ding-dong nature and it was not until five minutes before time that the East Lancs were able to equalise, Smith dropping a long shot from the wing which Rowlands thought was going over the top; the ball, however, curled in, and, though Rowlands leaped for it, he was too late, the ball entering the net just below the bar.

It was a very good game, and a draw was a very fitting result.

East Lancs — Oxford; Gorman, Swain; Worner, Carroll, North; Smith, Lawton, Sandford, Ridings and Tuley.

Fusiliers: — Rowlands; Wheeler, Keating; Ellis, Kenoghan, Taylor; Hughes, Harrison, Dennis, Talbot and Roberts.

ARTILLERY SURPRISE ROYAL NAVY

GUNNERS' HALVES TAKE THE HONOURS

(By "ROVER")

THE Royal Artillery gave one of their brightest displays for many weeks at Causeway Bay on Friday, forcing the Navy to draw in the First Division of the Soccer League, both sides scoring twice.

Many opportunities were missed by both teams, but the Artillery had by far the better of the exchanges, and were unlucky to come away with only one point.

The Navy forwards, usually so fast and adept in the art of deceiving an opposing defence, became sadly unstuck against McKrill, Clancy, and Harris.

These three defenders played a magnificent game, showing complete understanding, and clearing promptly at every available chance. McKrill handled many difficult shots in capable style, and was always well-positioned.

Morton was again a force to be reckoned with in the halfback line. He shone both in defensive work and when aiding an attack, several of his shots only just failing to find the net. He was given able support by Hunt and Fisher his wing halves, the former subduing Skinner in splendid style, and keeping Rivers and Edmunds continually on the move with well-placed passes.

Good Ball Distribution

The ball distribution of the entire half-back line was a decided improvement, and gave added confidence to the forward line.

In the absence of Worthington, Gardner led the line, although having just played in the preceding Second League game—in the left-back position! He was a bustling leader, and, though at fault with his shooting on several occasions, made amends by scoring a smart goal during the second half.

A Dangerous Combine

Rivers and Edmunds were a dangerous combination on the right wing, and supplied all the danger to the Navy goal. Both players were fast and tricky, and it needed all the wiles of Moss and Barrett to stop these two when once they got into their stride.

The Artillery left-wing did not see so much of the ball, but Knight and Taylor were always in position, and made the best use of the chances that came their way.

Shaky Navy Defence

The Navy defence did not appear so steady as usual, though Moss played his usually steady game, kicking and tackling promptly and cleanly. His partner, Beard, was apt to kick wildly when pressed, and failed to cover up well on several occasions.

The halves were a hardworking trio, and though most of their movements lacked style and precision, they contrived to help out a sorely tried defence. Goodrich wandered too much for a pivot, and his passing was seldom accurate. Hughes, on his right, caught the eye most, being particularly effective with many cleverly placed passes to Roberts and Kiley.

Ragged Attack

The forwards took a long time to settle down, and never really formed a smooth-working line. Roberts was fast, but often over-ran the ball, and sent many centres behind. Kiley and Cannell were the best on view, and it was from these two inside men that practically all the danger to the Artillery goal came. Rose was seldom dangerous, being too carefully watched by himself in the same position.

Gunners Open Scoring

After 10 minutes, the Artillery broke through the centre, catching the Navy rearguard out of position, and Knight beat Cocker from close quarters with a hard drive.

Play was mostly confined to midfield after this, but gradually the Navy settled down to more methodial play, and set up a determined attack. After 30 minutes play, Skinner received a forward pass, and flashed across a centre, which Rose headed in, the ball spinning out of McKrill's hands.

On the resumption, the Artillery went all out for the lead, and swarmed round the Navy goal, setting up attack after attack.

Artillery Again Lead

Following a brief raid by the sailors, which was easily suppressed by Clancy and Harris, the Artillery took the lead for the second time, Gardner completing a quick burst through the defence to drive the ball into the back of the net.

The Navy forwards fought back grimly, but poor finishing when in front of goal gave the Artillery defence an easy task, until the latter became just a little over-confident of success, and allowed Cannell to walk through them to score the equaliser 10 minutes from time.

McKrill Shines

This reverse unbalanced the soldiers, and the Navy went out for the deciding goal, but, although going near on several occasions, splendid work by McKrill kept them out, and a keen encounter closed with the score two goals each.

Navy. — Cocker; Beard, Moss; Hughes, Goodrich, Barrett; Roberts, Kiley, Rose, Cannell and Skinner.

Artillery.—McKrill; Clancy, Harris; Hunt, Morton, Fisher; Rivers, Edmunds, Gardner, Knight and Taylor.

KOWLOON'S PLUCKY DISPLAY

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Then came their second, within five minutes. A fast run down the right wing and a smart centre from Tang Kwong Sum gave Au Ping Ming his chance to net and he made no mistake.

After this Kowloon settled down to midfield play, and, considering they were short of two men, and were playing against a very fast and persevering Chinese eleven, they made a good show whenever they received a chance.

Surprise Goal

The Athletic's third goal was a surprise one. Following a corner kick by Li Hung Ching, the ball swerved and striking the upright, bounced into the net giving nobody a chance to clear.

There was no further score in the first half and after the rest Kowloon were rewarded by a goal after 10 minutes when, from a free-kick near the goalmouth, Knox, the outside-left, netted with a smart shot.

This caused the Athletic to get busy and they soon added their fourth goal, following a brilliant left-wing performance, Yuong Kam Po netting from short range. Kowloon had had a busy time and the absence of two men had left them very tired, but the Athletic were not satisfied until they had netted a fifth goal through Tang Kwong Sum.

Athletic:—Cheng Moon-wing; Lau Hon-cheong, Mak Shiu-hon; Ng Tak-wing, Lai Kwok-chiu, To Ho-hong; Au Kwok-tan; Tang Kwong-sum, Au Ping-ming, Yeung Kam-po and Li Hung-ching.

Kowloon:—Boyes; Everest, Boyd; Winch Bliss, Stewart; Thompson, G. White, Knox.

FUSILIERS TROUNCE CLUB JUNIORS

BUMSTER SCORES "HAT TRICK"

The Fusiliers avenged their mid-week defeat by completely outplaying the Club juniors in their Second League soccer fixture at Chatham Road yesterday, winning a one-side game by 6 goals to 1.

The Fusiliers opened with a strong attack, and after eight minutes took the lead through Bumster, who ended a fine solo effort with a fast drive into the net.

Although pressing almost continuously throughout the remainder of the first half, the Fusiliers failed to increase their slight lead.

Early in the second period Bumster netted the second goal with a low cross shot, and five minutes later, a centre from Parry, was secured by Bumster, and the latter scored the third goal, thus recording his own hat-trick.

The Club fought back for a brief space, and netted their only point, Williams receiving a forward pass from Fisher, and beating Saunders with a good shot.

In the last five minutes, the Fusiliers launched a fierce attack, during which Evans scored three good goals, to bring the total up to six, and completing the rout of the Club.

Fusiliers: — Saunders; Gaisely, Davies; Jones, McHugh, Edge; Parry, Sullivan, Bumster, Gresty and Evans.

Club:—Paine; Binnie, Railton; Bitter, Hynes, Hopkins; Fisher, Fowler, Williams, Hynes, and Hemsworth.

The Chinese "Houdini," Tsang Sam-ming, who attracted the attention of thousands of people on the night of Tuesday last by claiming to be able to perform fantastic feats in Wanchai. He is seen here, apparently attempting to hypnotise the cameraman, embarking for Shanghai at Blake Pier.

SOUTH CHINA CONCEDE 5 GOALS

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Shui-wing was the best of a poor line, but all his efforts were fruitless with no support coming from the others.

The first 10 minutes produced some fast exchanges, with the Police slightly the more impressive. Then Parker initiated a splendid movement that produced the first goal. He sent out to Creig, who immediately transferred to Green, who in turn sent it forward to Moss, for that player to beat Wong Wah-kai with a fast drive ground shot.

Moss's Solo Effort

McHardy cleared a difficult shot from the wing by Lee Shek-yau, and then the Police set up a continuous attack on the Chinese goal. Shots by Bone and Moss were cleared, and then Johnston, after stopping Lai Shui-wing, punted upfield to Moss, who cleverly dribbled through the opposing defence to culminate a splendid effort by driving the ball into the roof of the net.

In the next minute the Police nearly scored again, Lee Kam lazily leaving a loose ball to Wong Wah-kai, who fell on it a fraction of a second before Green reached it.

A long swinging pass to Tommy Pile by Parker, and a low centre that was missed-by-Wong-Wah-kai, went to Green, who walked the ball into the net to place the Police three up.

Lucky Let-Off

South China were roused at this setback, and for a brief spell attacked fiercely. Gough sliced his kick, and the ball luckily rebounded off an upright. Tsang King-kee secured, and McHardy brilliantly stopped his point blank shot, and Lee Shek-yau finished a dangerous situation for the Police by shooting high over.

Bone then secured the ball in mid-field, and sent out a long forward pass to T. Pile, leaving the winger a clear run for goal. With the Chinese defence yards out of position, the right-winger cut in and beat Wong Wah-kai with a splendid oblique shot that went in off the far upright.

Two minutes later Moss passed across the goal to Green, and a mis-kick by Lee Kam, gave the centre-forward an easy chance which he did not miss.

This brought the Police 'bag' up to five, and completed the scoring, half-time sounding just after the fifth goal.

Police Superiority

In the second half the Police continued to hold the upper hand, and attacked strongly all along the line, forcing innumerable corners, but failing to increase their commanding lead.

Lee Shek-yau had a splendid opportunity to reduce the deficit when he trapped a centre by Yeung Shui-yiek, but he sent over the bar, while at the other end Tommy Pile sent in a hard low drive that was pushed out by Wong Wah-kai, and Moss, coming in at speed, hit the upright with his shot.

Mid-way through this half, Tommy Pile broke through, but was brought down by Henry Young, and the referee awarded a penalty. Pile took the kick, but shot tamely outside!

The Police slackened up the pace considerably towards the end, but South China simply could not get going, and retired a well-beaten team.

S. China "B":—Wong Wah-kai; Lee Kam, Yu Hing-yuen; Yeung Chi-cheung, Lim Tak-po, Henry Young; Yeung Shui-yiek, Lai Shui-wing, Tsang King-kee, Cheuk Shek-kam and Lee Shek-yau.

Police: — McHardy; Blackburn, Johnston; Brooks, Gough, Parker; T. Pile, Bone, Green, Moss and Creig.

PORTUGAL & CHINA ON CLUB GROUND

IMPORTANT POSITIONAL CHANGES

PORTUGUESE DEFENCE MAY DECIDE ISSUE

FOOTBALL enthusiasts will to-day witness one of the fastest and most thrilling games this year when Portugal meet China in the final of the "Sunday Herald" Charity Cup competition on the Club ground at 4 p.m.

There is not much difference between the two teams, and as both nations have chosen the majority of their players from one Club to represent them, there will not be missing that combination and understanding which is always noticeable when players are chosen from different Clubs.

The Recreio and South China "A" are about equal in strength. These two teams have met twice this season in the League, and on both occasions the Recreio were decidedly unlucky not to have at least shared the points. In the first match South China won by a penalty scored almost on time, and then in the return game a misunderstanding between the Recreio backs allowed the Chinese to score the winning goal late in the second half, after the Recreio had enjoyed most of the play.

The Recreio and South China "A" are providing the majority of the players for to-day's titanic struggle, while the weaks links have been strengthened by the players from St. Joseph's and the Athletic.

A. Ward, who was reported sick earlier in the week, has now recovered, and, though still weak, he has signified his willingness to play if still required. His inclusion, provided he can keep the pace, will add zest to a fast forward line.

Lee Tin Sang's Return

Lee Ting-sang is returning to local football after a month's suspension. His presence will be a great asset to China's team.

Comparing the teams, the only department in which China has any advantage is between the sticks. Wong Wing is steadier and has had far greater experience than Marques. The Portuguese custodian, though not so reliable, plays a good game. He is liable, however, to get flurried at times during the earlier part of a game, but when he has settled down he is quite able to deal with ordinary shots from all angles.

Mak Sui-hong and Lee Tin-sang have only played once together and may take some time to understand each other. Lee Ting-sang, not having played football for a month may be out of practice.

The Portuguese pair of backs are a shade better than the Chinese. A. V. Gosano will be covering Souza to a great extent.

Leung's Big Task

Leung Wing-chui is playing very good football at present. He tackles well and his passes to his forwards are well placed. He has a tendency, however, to use his elbows too much and would do well to remedy this failing.

He will be marking two fast youngsters and will have his hands full paying them the necessary attention.

Chui Ah-fai, the Chinese pivot, is a tireless worker. He never gives up trying and plays the game from start to finish. Besides being a good defensive player, he supports his forwards during an attack. He marked Howe very well last Sunday in the Final of the Governor's Cup, and will have an equally big task in watching B. Gosano to-day.

Perhaps profitting by the lesson learned from last Sunday's game, or perhaps owing to an injury to Lee Kwok-wai, Chan Chon-wo will fill the left-half position, and in this the Chinese have made a wise move. Fung King-cheong will, as usual, lead the Chinese forwards, with Tam Kong-pak as his inside-right. Fung had bad luck with several shots last week and should he find his shooting form, Marques is likely to be in for a trying time.

Tam's Rival

Tam Kong-pak's greatest asset is his head. He rarely scores with his feet, but in Gosano, he will find somebody his equal in heading and his superior in jumping and Gosano will undoubtedly watch him when corners are taken.

To permit "Darkie" Chan to help the defence, Ip Pak-wa has been brought in at inside-left. He has played for many years with the other forwards in the inside position, while Lee Shek-yau will take his place on the wing.

Lee Shek-yau plays for the "B" team of South China. He has speed, and his centres are accurate and well placed.

A victory for Portugal will depend on their half-back line, and especially on Beltrao. He can play very good football, if he wants to, and if he can hold the Chinese forwards and find time to give his forwards the necessary passes, then Portugal stand a very good chance of winning.

Silva-Netto's Responsibility

Silva-Netto has been playing at back for many seasons, and it has only been this year that we have seen him at right-half. He will be up against the nippy left wing of China and will have a hard afternoon.

The Portuguese forwards are a speedy quintette with Ward and Gosano the outstanding players. Speed is their main asset and, with the exception of Alves, every one can shoot.

They will be greatly handicapped by their height, especially when corners are taken. In this case Beltrao will have to be among his forwards and there must be some previous understanding among the players in case of a sudden clearance or breakaway.

No matter which side wins there will be very little difference in the score at the end of the game.

The teams are:—

Portugal:—E. M. Marques (Recreio); A. V. Gosano (Recreio) and S. Souza (St. Joseph's); Silva-Netto (Recreio), N. Beltrao (Recreio) and F. Elmo (St. Joseph's); N. Delgado (Recreio), A. Ward (St. Joseph's); B. Gosano (Recreio), J. Gomes (Recreio) and Alves (Recreio).

Reserves:—I. Fernandes (Recreio), L. Fernandes (St. Joseph's) and W. Maher (Recreio); Victor (St. Joseph's), C. Figueirdo (Recreio) and V. Marques (Recreio); T. Castilho (Recreio), D. Aquino (Recreio), Santos (St. Joseph's), L. Rocha (St. Joseph's) and V. Costa (St. Joseph's).

China:—Wong Wing (Capt.); Mak So-hon (Athletic) and Lee Ting-sang (South China); Leung Wing-chui (South China), Chui Ah-fai (Athletic), Chan Chen-wo (Athletic); Tso Kwai-shing (South China), Tam Kong-pak (South China), Fung King-cheong (South China), Ip Pak-wa (South China) and Lee Shek-yau (South China).

CLUB RALLY TO SECURE BOTH POINTS

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before the interval Rodger held and saved a hard drive from Skinner.

On the resumption the tables were completely turned and the play was all for the Club. After a mild Navy attack Nicholls took the ball on the run and centred for Elliott to net the equaliser. Bickford then had a try, but Crocker brought off a brilliant save.

The Navy were doing their utmost to keep out the Club attack, but, following a nice movement by Pearce and Bickford, the ball went to Howe who placed his side in lead. The Navy tried hard to draw, but without result and the game finished with the Club still pressing strongly.

Navy:—Crocker; Beard, Moss; Hughes, Goodrich, Barrett; Baxter, Kiley, Cannel; Constable and Skinner.

Club: — Rodger; Stirling, Hill; Robertson, Forrow, Strange; Nicholls, Elliott, Howe, Pearce and Bickford.

MAIL SCHEDULES

EASTER HOLIDAYS

On Monday, the 22nd April, the Public Hall of the General Post Office will be closed, but postage stamps may be obtained at the back entrance from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Kowloon Central Post Office and the other Branch Post Offices will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence each day as on Sundays, and one delivery of registered correspondence at 10 a.m. on Friday, 19th and on Saturday 20th.

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A schedule of revised parcel post rates, including many reductions, is exhibited in the Parcel Office, G.P.O. The rates will take effect as from 1st March, 1935.

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Asama Maru ..... „ 26
Kashima Maru ..... „ 26

FROM SHANGHAI

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Asama Maru ..... „ 26

FROM U.S.A.

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ENGINEERS SCORE EIGHT TIMES

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R. E.'s Take Things Easily

The Engineers took things easily during the second half; they were still in the Kowloon area, but did not attempt to score, concentrating mainly on tricky football and passing to each other in front of goal. Fifteen minutes from the resumption Hurst re-opened the score sheet with a soft ground shot which McNider attempted to stop with a wild kick, the ball rolling under his foot into the net.

Awarded a penalty for hands against Landau, Derby took the kick and shot wide. With but a few minutes to go Callard and Howlett added to the Engineers score and the soldiers thus gained a well deserved victory by eight goals to nil.

Engineers:—Sellick; Slack, Dudley; Denham, Hurst, Boyling; Callard, Budan, Derby, Howlett and Creagh.

Rowloon:—McNider; Gilchrist, Humphrey; Landau, Tyndall, Tillery; Oppenheim, Fuxham, Cutter, Duffield and White.

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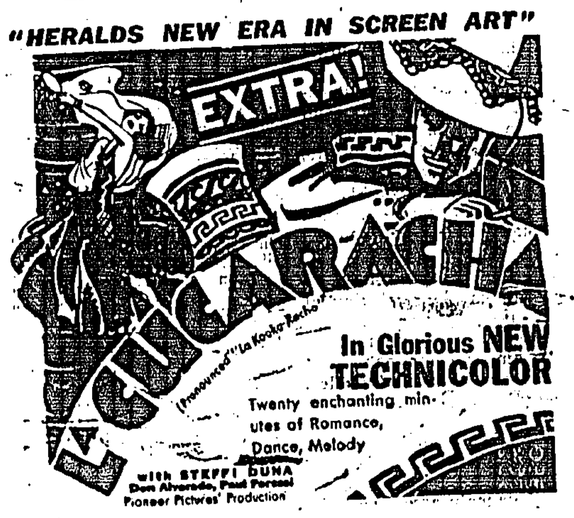

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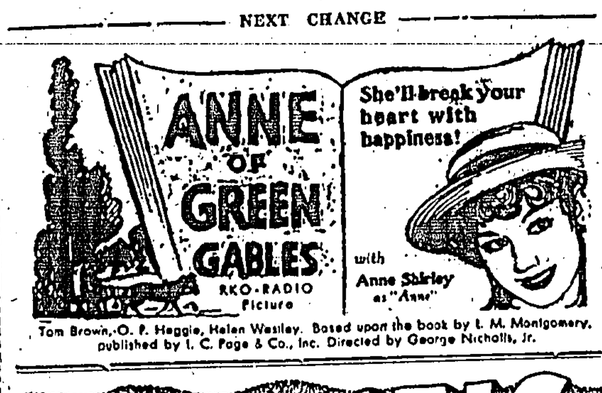

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SOME ASPECTS OF CHINESE ART

INDIVIDUALITY OF THE ARTIST

EASTERN AND WESTERN STYLES COMPARED

(By Phyllis Juby)

It is surprising how many people still feel that Chinese art is strange and inaccessible to the European sensibility; but it need not be if we will consider it as attentively as we would an Italian masterpiece or a Gothic sculpture. Consider, at the outset, how harmonious are the colour-schemes in Chinese art to the European eye, and how, as in our paintings, the elaboration of detail is never allowed to destroy the general structure. Even those landscape paintings which are painted on a roll so long that we can only look at it in segments, retain a clear co-ordination of the parts within a whole. We unroll at one end and roll up at the other, while we traverse wide stretches of country, and yet, in the finer paintings, we have received an impression of pictorial unity.

Age of Chinese Art

It would be difficult to generalise about the art of so vast a territory, though it has had some kind of continuity of tradition from the third millennium before Christ, perhaps even from Neolithic times, down to our own day. And yet it may be said that the idea of a typical Chinese object has grown more vague as our knowledge of Chinese art has advanced. It was not so many years ago that a piece of T'ang pottery was a great rarity; but now we go back in pottery to the Han period at least, and in bronzes much further. When we look at the bronzes of the Chou times, we feel that, however rigidly the artist was bound to observe the principles of magic and ritual, his individuality came into full play. Each one of these bronzes is a new discovery in plastic harmony.

Whenever animal forms enter into Chinese design, we find that the artist has retained from primitive times that instinctive grasp of vital rhythm, which is so often lost in a civilised and self-conscious art. The Chinese seem to understand animal life not merely from observation, but from within. This same sympathetic intuition penetrates into their treatment of the plant forms too. They are painted with a certain grave dignity that our own painters from nature have rarely attained.

The Human Form

Perhaps it was this insight into nature that caused the Chinese artist never to lose sight of the relative position of the human form in the scheme of nature. And as a result Europeans often feel the inadequacy, from their point of view, of the Chinese figure imagery. It was after Buddhism was introduced into China that the Chinese artist turned his attention to the human form, since his work went to glorify Buddha and the holy ones with whom he was surrounded. The Chinese did, indeed, often create human forms of supreme beauty, but as only slight variations of a single type of face and bodily character. Europeans, on the other hand, followed Greek arrogance in a very special study of the forms of their kind.

Greek art was influenced, not altogether fortunately, by the artist's almost scientific desire to describe accurately the whole anatomy of the human figure. He wished to know the facts as well as the significance of their appearance. Thus the texture of their imagery became most solid. Though the Chinese have ever held a more rationalistic attitude toward life, they never developed a scientific curiosity in their art, feeling inclined neither to analyse nor describe. In painting, as in the theatre, the Chinese has ever sought illusion rather than formal beauty. There is no concern with the individual, but with the representation of nature as an entity. And who is to say that the Chinese with his wider cosmic sense is not wiser than the confirmed European egoist with so great fondness for the individual form?

Art of Suggestion

They never developed a technique of tempera or oil painting, as the European did. For their purpose of achieving a total vision with large untouched surfaces, water-colour on silk was the ideal method. There is nothing uncertain about a stroke of oil paint, but a wash of water-colour on silk is varied at every point. It is not a positive but rather a suggestive method. The water-colour, too, leaves the artist's gesture almost free, hence the immense part played in Chinese art by linear rhythm. The contour is always the most important part of the form, and the rhythmic movement is of a flowing, almost continuous character. No doubt European painting, too, started on a linear basis and often returns to it; but from very early times the linear rhythm began to be influenced by other considerations. By the time of Rembrandt it is difficult to see the survival of any linear basis.

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FELLER OF TREES FINED

Wexford.

Five months before he met his death in the giant R.A.F. flying-boat which crashed at Messina, Sicily, in February, Flight Lieut. Henry Longfield Beatty, stepbrother of Earl Beatty, sold his ancestral Irish home, Borrodale House, County Wexford, and 140 acres of land to an unemployed Irish labourer for 10s.

This was revealed at Enniscorthy, County Wexford, District Court when Mr. John Murphy, of Mary-street, Wexford, was prosecuted by the Free State Department of Agriculture for unlawfully felling 214 trees without permission from the department.

Mr. F. M. O'Connor, solicitor for Murphy, said that the late Flight Lieut. Beatty made several attempts to sell Borrodale House as he was unable to maintain it owing to the heavy ground rent of about £300 a year.

The District Justice said Murphy was liable to a fine of £1,070. He took into consideration all the circumstances, and imposed a fine of roughly 2s. 6d. per tree, totalling £25.

WHERE IS COLONEL LAWRENCE?

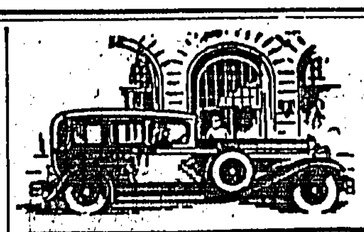
German Press Takes Up The Cry

Berlin.

"Where is Colonel Lawrence?" is a question which is now worrying the German Press, which has ever followed with the closest attention the movements of "the Uncrowned King of Arabia."

Lawrence's recent retirement from the R.A.F. has not escaped notice, and is linked up with present world happenings. It is declared that all signs indicate he is again on a secret mission. One paper suggests that he is on his way to Turkey or to Abyssinia.

The last report of Colonel Lawrence was that he was living in a cottage in Dorset.



MOTORING NOTES - -

U.S. FORD OUTPUT RISES STEADILY

160,000 Units Built Last Month

OVER 400,000 FOR FIRST QUARTER OF 1935

The largest domestic production of Ford V-8 cars and trucks since the V-8 engine was introduced by the Ford Motor Co. three years ago was scheduled for last month, a production of 160,000 units being planned.

Under this schedule, the company built more than 7,000 units a day, in order to keep pace with the continued increasing demand for the 1935 Ford V-8 cars and trucks. March production this year was more than twice as great as Ford's domestic production in March 1934, when 77,947 units were built.

Since the new cars were announced late last December, Ford production has moved steadily upward. In January it totalled 100,793 units, while in February it approximated 150,000 units. With the March schedule set at 160,000 units, Ford, by the end of last month, had produced more than 400,000 1935 model cars and trucks in the United States alone.

U.S. AUTOMOBILE OUTPUT

Sales Show Increase Of 45 Per Cent.

The output of American automobile factories last year is estimated at more than 2,850,000 vehicles.

Sales for the year were about 45 per cent. more than they had been in 1933 and were approximately double the number of vehicles sold in 1932.

FOSTERING GERMAN MOTORING

Abolition Of Motor Tax

Here is an account of the Nazi effort to develop the motor industry in Germany. Besides the total abolition of taxes (other than the petrol tax) on private cars, it is intended in due course to do the same for commercial motor vehicles.

There is now a motor vehicle to, roughly, every 100 Germans; Herr Hitler hopes to make it one to twenty. A colossal road programme has been started. In six months 800 miles of new roads, entirely new roads, not widenings or improvements, have been pegged out; all told they plan for 5,000 miles of new roads as a start, 600 miles to be completed in each year from 1935 onwards.

With Germany's grave unemployment problem a big road scheme was an obvious resort. But they are to be the best roads. They are all planned as dual carriageways.

SALE OF DIESELS INCREASES

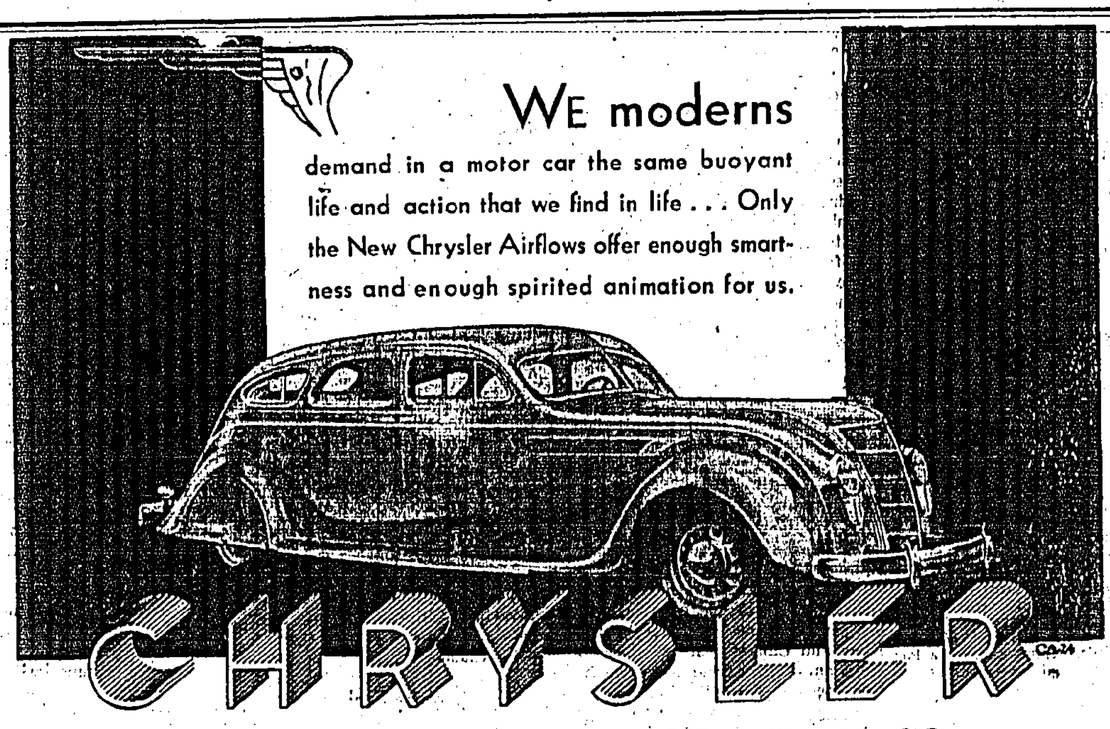
Insufficiency Of Oil

The number of diesel-engined vehicles in Germany is increasing so rapidly that fears are being expressed that the necessity of having to import fuel will have an adverse effect on the trade balance.

Over 20 per cent. of the total vehicles are now running on heavy oil, it is stated, and there has been an increase of 12,000 of this type of vehicle in two years.

HIGH VALUE OF MOTOR TRUCKS

The 590,000 motor trucks produced in the United States last year had a wholesale value of U.S.$305,000,000.



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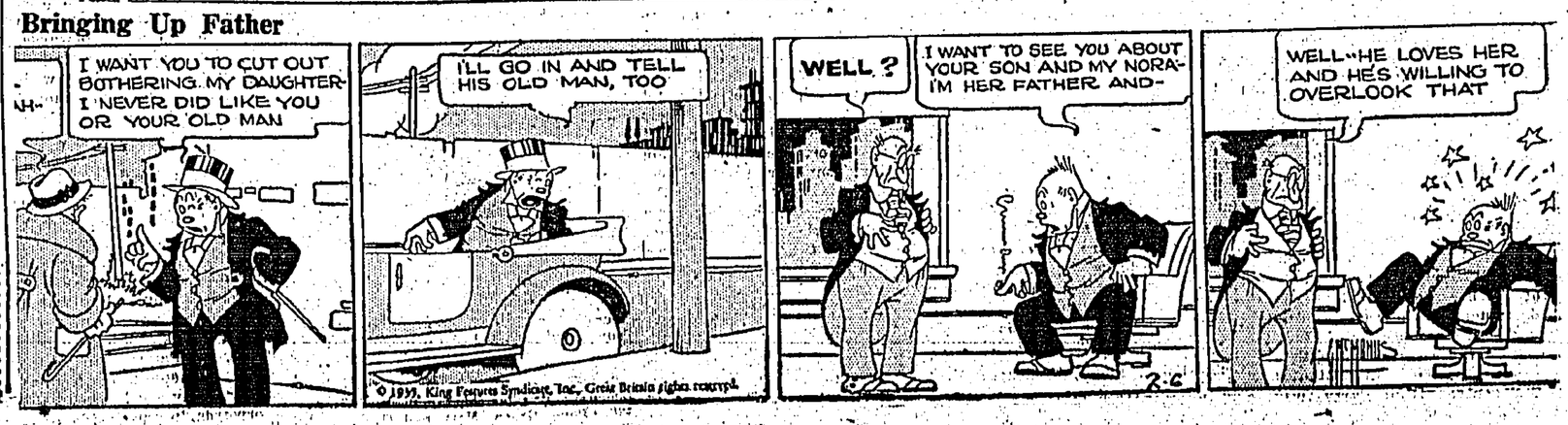

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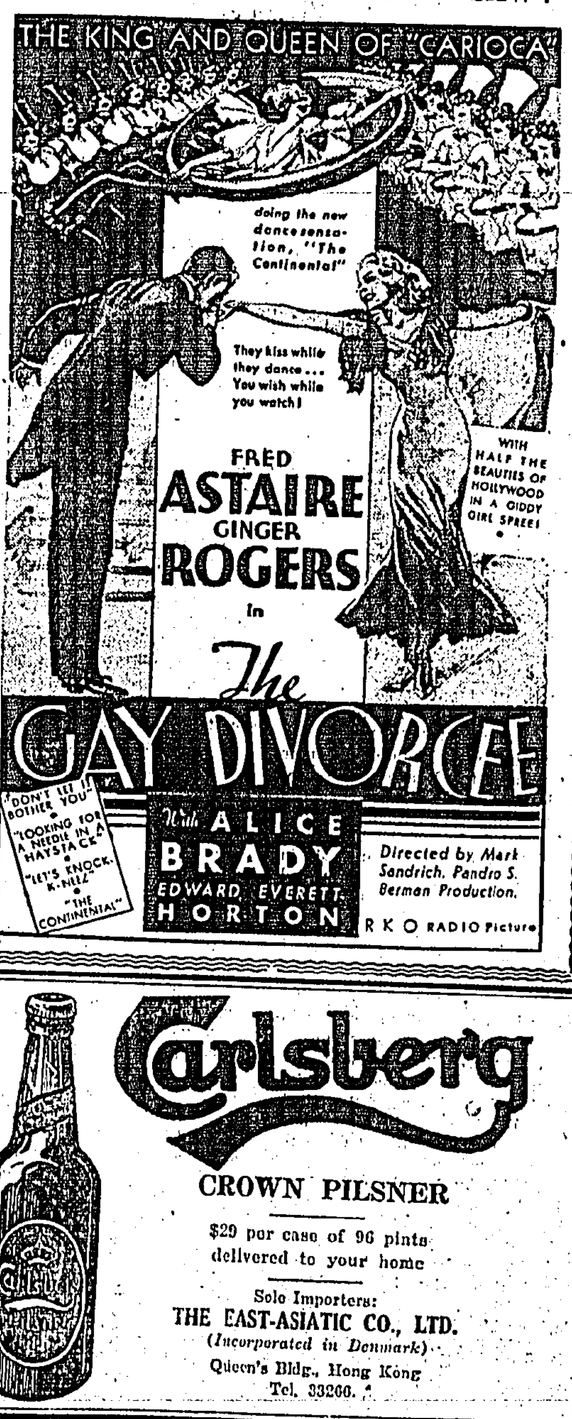

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WHEN TO BLUFF AT CONTRACT

By LT.-COL. H. M. BEASLEY

DOES it pay to introduce "bluff", "strategic," and similar bids? They are frequently used in tournament play and form a part of the compendium of bids employed by the better class of player.

These bids must not be introduced when you are playing with an unimaginative partner; as they are apt to upset his moral completely if they are unsuccessful and offset any advantage which might be gained by their use.

The Right Moment

Perhaps the most opportune moment to introduce a Bluff or Strategic bid arises (a) when your partner and the next to speak have passed; or (b) when you hold a freak hand.

Herewith the occasions when the bid may be advantageous—

1.—When you hold a weak suit but a strong hand. For example: You may trap the opponents by bidding a weak Minor suit. (a) The opponents may enter into a contract in a Major suit which you hold, or (b) it may deter the opponents from leading that suit in the event of your partner playing the hand in a No Trump declaration.

2.—A Bluff 2 No Trump bid may be made when you wish to overcall an opponent—you may not hold a guard in the suit which he has bid, but your hand must contain a long escape suit which you can eventually bid, if the necessity should arise. For example: Bid 2 No Trumps after an opening 1 Heart bid by the opponent on your left, holding—

S.—A Q 6
H.—7 4
D.—6 5
C.—A K Q 10 7 4

A good type of strategic bid is one which you can employ after you yourself have made what is known as a "Forcing pass;" it is particularly successful against aggressive opponents who—lulled into a sense of security by your original pass—enter into high contract on the assumption that you hold a weak hand.

Dangerous Move

Of course, a pass on a fairly strong hand is dangerous; the opponents may not bid, and if your partner holds a fair hand, you may find that you have thrown in a game hand.

It is fairly safe to pass on a hand when two suits are practically missing, as it is extremely probable that one of the opponents, or your partner, will enter the bidding, and thus give you another opportunity.

You may be doubled—which is exactly what you are hoping for. For example, you might pass holding—

S.—x
H.—A K 7 2
C.—A K J 9 7 4 3
C.—x

and subsequently bid four or five Diamonds, with a very good chance of fulfilling your contract.

These judicious strategic bids are a definite part of winning tactics, but a bluff bid on a valueless hand is as a rule, suicidal. However, there is a situation where a bluff bid may prove effective, and as it is often employed, it is as well to be on the look-out for it.

An Example

For example: North and South are vulnerable; East and West are not vulnerable. West is dealer and passes; North passes also. East may now make a bluff No Trump bid, holding—

S.—A x x
H.—x x
D.—x
C.—Q J 10 7 6 4 3

The justification for such a bid by East is this—West is invulnerable and has passed. He therefore holds very little; North passes, being vulnerable. He may hold something just less than a justifiable opening bid; if East holds very little, he may calculate that South holds the balance of the strength, and will therefore open the bidding, and eventually North and South may reach a game contract.

A No Trump bid by East may possibly deter North and South from bidding the game, and even if the bluff is recognised, it may still prevent them from bidding a Slam, which they might possibly have made.

Assuming that South doubles the No Trump bid by East, it is unlikely that North will leave in the double, as East and West are not vulnerable, and he will probably consider it more advisable to try and make the game. If the double is left in by North, you have your escape suit and can bid 2 Clubs, and you will not lose very much—even if doubled in that contract.

The Charmed Life

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debtedness. That was the kind of obligation she would be the first to honour when he asked. How right he had been not to betray by a single gesture his feelings towards her.

It came almost as a shock to him to find they had left the theatre, left the West End, were in fact, crunching through the slush and snow up Avenue-road.

The car slithered to the curb before Knoloch. Evelyn alighted first and made her way quickly up the path to the door.

"You're a preoccupied blighter to-night," grumbled Ames.

"It's cold," said Webster.

"It's freezing, if you ask me," said Ames, garrulous.

Webster's reply was an unintelligible shiver.

Ames, as if warned by some prescience of drama to come, took a deep breath and looked up at the lowering sky.

"Like the last night on earth," he muttered.

Webster grinned.

Dr. Lloyd Jones, drinking cocoa before the cinders of the dining-room fire, looked back on his long day with a certain satisfaction. The phial of arsenic tablets had not been recovered, but no news was good news at this distance of time, Mrs. Berkeley had not such an easy delivery as he had anticipated. It was no exaggeration to say that his care had saved the baby's life almost before it had begun. Even Nurse McGhie had said "Good-night, doctor," with an intonation which, if not pleasant, was not insulting.

The telephone bell out in the hall broke in on his thoughts. He looked up at the clock.

"Quarter past twelve," he said mechanically, and put down his cup.

"That Dr. Jones?" asked an excited voice as he lifted the receiver. "Er—we want you at once, doctor."

"Yes, who——" began the doctor.

"This is Ames—Ames—Avenue-road—Knoloch."

"Yes," said the doctor again. "Is Miss—er—" The name of the maid escaped him.

"No—no. She's all right," went on Ames "I've got a friend here. He went out to his chauffeur—must have got a piece of ice on his shoe or something—slipped on this badly. Er—would brandy hurt him, doctor?"

"No, it shouldn't" said Dr. Jones, in that comforting way doctors have when they are not paying the slightest heed to what is being said to them.

"Only"—Ames's voice rose to a whimper—"he's gone so funny, doctor. He seemed to be reviving at first. My glass was in my hand. I poured the whole thing down his throat."

GOLDEN EAGLE KILLED

Carries Fox Trap Across Border

Stockholm.

Bird-lovers in Sweden raised an outcry when it became known that a golden eagle had been found dead in the Umea neighbourhood with a fox-trap attached to one leg.

Its sinews were severed by the jaws of the trap, and tales were told of the agony the bird must have endured.

The Commissioner of the district has now come forward in defence of the population. He declares that the trap found on the eagle's leg was of Norwegian make, which he considers sufficient evidence that the bird had been trapped in Norway and had then made its way across the border before it died.

DIANA WYNYARD TO BE OPERATED ON

PLAY SUSPENDED 6 WEEKS

DECLARED TO BE THE ONLY ACTRESS FOR THE PART

The run of "Sweet Aloes" at Wyndham's Theatre has suspended for six weeks on account of the necessity for an operation for appendicitis on the leading actress, Diana Wynyard.

Acting under the orders of Lord Horder, Miss Wynyard has entered a West-end nursing home. She will resume her part on Monday, April 29.

No performances will be given at Wyndham's Theatre during her absence, and the cast will have a holiday for which they will be paid, and they will all resume work on April 29. The management feel that Miss Wynyard is so essential to the play that it would not be fair to the public, or to any other actress, for a substitute to take over the part.

Never before has a run been suspended for so long a period on account of the illness of a star. In Elisabeth Bergner's case the time was three and a half weeks.

SOME ASPECTS OF CHINESE ART

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But a Chinese picture, even of the later and more sophisticated Sung period, never loses its linear rhythm as the main method of expression. This is indeed natural, since painting in China was always regarded as part of the art of calligraphy. In his picture the artist uses his handwriting to carry out innumerable subtle inflections and variations with which he intends to enrich the main theme. The linear rhythm of Chinese art is always flowing and never harshly staccato and broken as is often the case in European paintings. It is closer to the refinement of the early Persian painters than any other. We do see similar rhythms in much Italian art. In certain Lorenzetti and Botticelli pictures we find that melodious ease of outline which belongs to the finer examples of Chinese painting. But though he relies on linear rhythms, the work of the good Chinese painter is not flat, as is the work of some Pre-Raphaelites. He avoids anything that would check the idea of plasticity, and has a strong feeling for the volumes which his contours evoke.

Influence of Poetry

The Chinese feeling for landscape has been described as the desire of sensitive natures to escape from the pressure of social life. It was during the Sung dynasty that this new consciousness of the external world was born, and landscape became a part of the Chinese mentality. The artist now approached nature in a new way and found an almost visionary expression for his inner experience. Art was influenced by poetry, and the forms adopted by the latter were free in comparison with the severe classicism of the T'ang lyrics. Aesthetic impulses now aimed at emotional and spiritual satisfaction. The Chinese, indeed, have ever felt the importance of the spiritual function of art. In his most exalted state, the Chinese painter was led into a serene contemplative mood: a Michael Angelo is unthinkable in the atmosphere of Chinese art, as in an El Greco painting in dramatic intensity.

Still it is impressive how akin to the finest European feeling is that which has inspired the great creative art in China. As we apprehend more clearly the nature of the Chinese state of mind, and realise the ways in which the Chinese anticipated by many centuries the course of European art, we come to admire more than a brilliant execution, an ingenuity of technique.

When we come to modern times, however, we have only to see the general level of Chinese art to recognise that tradition has suffered, while no new ways of aesthetic creation have been found. A trivial amusement is sought in the scenically impressive aspects of nature, and the old Sung forms of art are still adopted in order to indulge the artist's own mannerisms.

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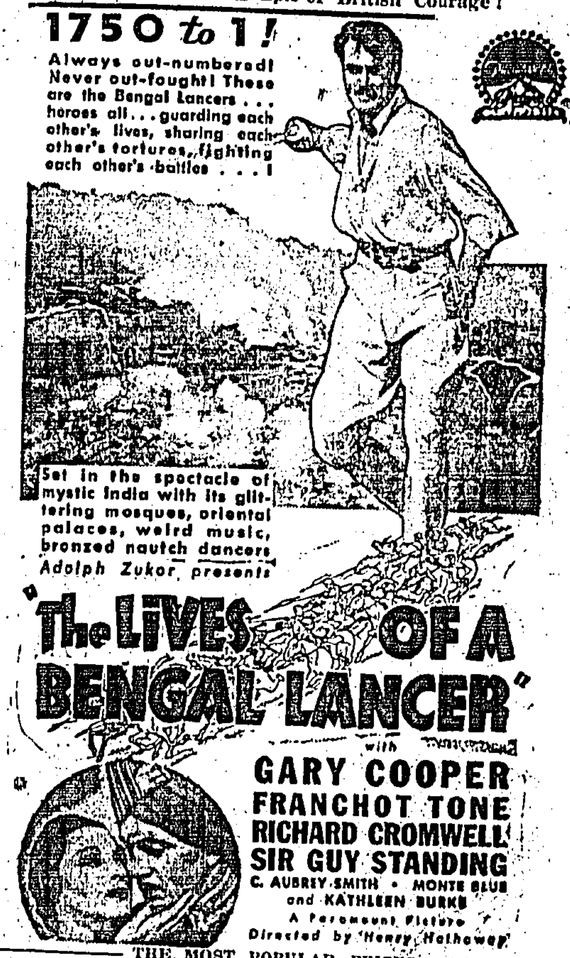

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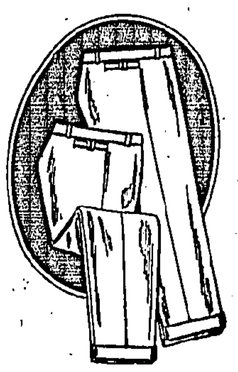

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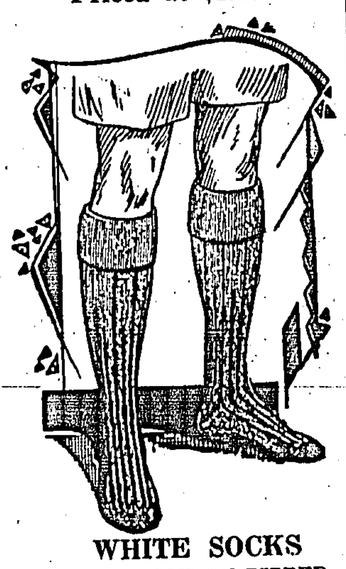

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FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	1	Huddersfield	0
Birmingham	2	Sun'land	2
Blackburn	6	Everton	2
Leeds	1	Aston Villa	1
Mid'boro'	0	Grimsby	2
Man'tor C.	1	Preston	2
Liverpool	6	Chelsea	0
P'smouth	0	Wolves	1
Wednesday	1	Leicester	1
Stoke	4	Tottenham	1
West Brom.	4	Derby	3

Table To Date

	P	W	D	L	Goals F	A	Pts
Arsenal	39	21	12	6	109	43	54
Sunderland	38	18	13	7	80	44	49
Wednesday	38	17	11	10	66	57	45
Manchester C.	38	20	4	14	70	73	44
Liverpool	37	18	5	14	79	79	43
Everton	39	16	11	12	82	78	43
Grimsby	38	17	8	13	73	57	42
West Brom.	39	17	8	14	79	77	42
Preston	39	15	10	14	61	64	40
Aston Villa	37	14	11	12	68	78	39
Stoke	39	17	5	17	67	61	39
Derby	38	15	8	15	71	64	38
Chelsea	39	15	8	16	66	62	38
Portsmouth	39	15	9	15	65	65	39
Huddersfield	39	14	8	17	73	67	36
Blackburn	40	13	10	17	60	76	36
Leeds	39	11	12	16	68	86	34
Wolves	39	13	8	19	50	87	34
Middlesbro'	38	9	13	16	34	83	31
Birmingham	38	11	9	18	52	73	31
Leicester	39	12	7	20	54	68	31
Tottenham	40	9	10	21	47	88	27

SECOND DIVISION

Blackpool	3	Notts C.	1
Bradford	3	Swansea	1
Brentford	8	Port Vale	0
Bury	2	B'ford C.	1
Fulham	3	Man'ter U.	1
Hull	0	Sheffield U.	3
Newcastle	1	Bolton	3
Norwich	0	Oldham	0
Notts F.	4	Barnsley	1
Plymouth	2	Burnley	2
West Ham	2	Southampton	1

Table To Date

	P	W	D	L	Goals F	A	Pts
Brentford	39	24	9	6	86	45	57
Blackpool	39	21	10	8	77	51	52
West Ham	39	24	4	11	75	59	52
Bolton	38	24	3	11	89	44	51
Newcastle	40	21	4	15	85	65	46
Manchester U.	37	20	4	13	69	49	44
Plymouth	38	18	8	12	70	62	44
Fulham	39	16	11	12	72	55	43
Notts Forest	38	16	8	14	70	60	40
Sheffield U.	39	15	9	15	75	62	39
Bradford	38	11	15	13	52	57	37
Hull	37	14	8	17	55	70	36
Burnley	38	13	10	15	59	67	36
Norwich	38	13	10	15	68	57	36
Bury	39	10	4	19	52	70	36
Port Vale	39	12	10	17	50	67	32
Barnsley	37	10	11	16	50	77	31
Swansea	38	12	7	20	49	64	31
Southampton	39	9	12	18	42	71	30
Oldham	39	9	6	24	52	89	30
Bradford C.	39	10	8	21	49	67	28
Notts County	38	8	7	23	37	83	23

SCOTTISH CUP FINAL

Rangers	2	Hamilton	1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

Airdrie	2	Dunfermline	3
* Clyde		K'marnock	
* Dundee		Celtic	
Falkirk	5	Hibernian	2
Hearts	2	Aberdeen	1
Mother'l	2	Ayr United	3
Queen O'S	1	Albion	0
St. Mirren	2	Partick	1

1 not played.

Table To Date

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Rangers	37	20	9	8	85	49	49
Hearts	36	22	4	10	83	41	48
Celtic	36	22	4	10	83	41	48
Hamilton	36	18	10	8	84	63	46
Aberdeen	37	17	9	11	66	52	42
St. Johnstone	34	16	8	10	56	40	40
Motherwell	37	15	10	12	68	63	40
Dundee	37	16	8	13	62	60	40
Kilmarnock	37	15	6	6	74	67	36
Clyde	38	13	10	15	69	71	36
Hibernian	36	13	8	15	57	52	34
Partick	36	15	4	17	58	63	34
Queen's Park	35	11	9	15	54	78	31
Airdrie	36	11	7	18	54	70	29
Dunfermline	37	12	5	20	54	95	29
Queen O'South	37	10	7	20	58	72	29
Ayr	38	12	5	21	61	112	29
Albion	35	10	8	17	57	69	28
St. Mirren	37	11	5	21	47	68	27
Falkirk	37	10	5	22	56	75	25

—Reuter.

ENGLISH LEAGUE

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bournemouth	2	Southend	1
Bristol C.	5	Queen's P.R.	1
Clapton	3	Aldershot	1
Coventry	3	Swindon	0
Exeter	1	Crystal P.	0
Gil'gham	1	Cardiff	0
Millwall	4	Torquay	2
Newport	0	Charlton	2
Northampton	2	Luton	1
Reading	4	Brighton	4
Watford	3	Bristol R.	0

Table To Date

	P	W	D	L	Goals F	A	Pts
Charlton	39	25	6	8	95	49	56
Reading	38	20	11	7	83	53	51
Luton	38	18	10	10	83	52	46
Coventry	37	19	7	11	81	47	45
Crystal Pal.	39	18	9	12	80	50	45
Watford	38	18	8	12	71	44	44
Northampton	38	17	7	14	58	60	41
Torquay	39	17	6	16	73	70	40
Brighton	38	15	9	14	61	56	39
Millwall	40	16	7	17	54	59	39
Bristol R.	37	15	8	14	65	72	38
Exeter	39	15	8	16	61	68	38
Queen's P.R.	39	14	9	16	58	62	37
Bournemouth	39	15	6	18	53	67	36
Cardiff	39	13	9	17	64	72	35
Clapton O.	40	13	9	18	60	82	35
Bristol C.	38	13	7	18	46	65	33
Aldershot	39	12	9	18	47	60	33
Swindon	38	11	10	17	62	74	32
Gillingham	38	10	11	17	50	70	31
Southend	38	9	8	21	55	71	26
Newport	39	10	5	24	50	103	25

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Barrow	0	York	3
Carlisle	4	New B'ton	1
Ches'field	0	Accrington	0
Halifax	1	Crewe	0
Lincoln	4	Southport	1
M'sfield	2	Darlington	2
*Rotherham	1	Stockport	0
Rochdale	3	Chester	3
Tranmere	v	Doncaster	2
Walsall	5	Gateshead	0
Wrexham	0	Hartlepools	2

* abandoned after 80 minutes owing to heavy rain.

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Doncaster	39	25	5	9	84	40	55
Chester	39	19	13	7	69	67	51
Halifax	38	22	5	11	75	58	49
Tranmere	41	19	10	12	71	55	48
Darlington	39	19	9	11	76	57	47
Lincoln	39	21	5	13	87	57	47
Mansfield	38	19	7	12	73	54	45
Rotherham	38	18	6	14	73	70	42
Stocknort	35	19	3	13	77	47	41
Wrexham	38	15	11	12	72	61	41
Chesterfield	37	15	8	14	69	50	38
Crewe	38	14	9	15	65	77	37
Walsall	37	10	10	17	68	71	35
York	37	13	4	20	64	88	34
Hartlepools	39	13	8	18	73	78	34
Barrow	39	13	7	19	54	81	33
New Brighton	39	13	7	19	57	74	33
Gateshead	39	13	7	19	56	88	33
Southport	39	9	12	18	50	78	30
Accrington	40	10	10	20	58	88	30
Rochdale	39	9	11	19	48	68	29
Carlisle	38	8	6	24	48	88	22

FRANCE AND RUSSIA NOW IN AGREEMENT

ONE CLAUSE YET TO BE FINALISED

CZECHOSLOVAKIA SEEKS SIMILAR PACT

Paris, Yesterday.

It is learned that, though agreement in principle was reached at Geneva on broad lines in the Franco-Soviet pact, the Soviet Government still has to approve a passage in the draft reconciling the necessity for rapid assistance in case of unprovoked attack with France's obligation under the Locarno Treaty whereby France, like Germany, undertakes to respect the Rhine frontier, except in case of an aggression which is recognised as such by the League Council.

If a final agreement is reached shortly, M. Litvinoff, the Russian Foreign Minister, might come to Paris to initial the pact and M. Laval, the French Foreign Minister, would postpone his visit to Moscow until after the French municipal elections on May 5. — Reuter.

Paris, Earlier.

According to a message from Geneva, M. Litvinoff and Dr. Edward Benes, the Foreign Ministers of Russia and Czechoslovakia, respectively, conferred yesterday with the object of concluding a Soviet-Czechoslovakia pact of mutual assistance similar to that concluded between France and Russia.

Czechoslovakian circles state that negotiations are proceeding very favourably. Dr. Benes is probably going to Moscow to sign the initial pact.—Reuter.

ROYAL EASTER CHARITY

London, Yesterday.—The Duchess of York and her daughter, Princess Elizabeth, attended a service at Westminster Abbey yesterday when, as is the custom on the Thursday before Easter Monday, money was distributed.

It is one of the oldest royal charities.—British Wireless Service.

LOCAL AUTONOMY IN MONGOLIA

Plenary Session Of Council Yesterday

PRINCES AND DELEGATES VISIT NANKING

Nanking, Yesterday

In view of the convening of the second plenary meeting of the Mongolian Local Autonomy Political Council, which is to be held to-day at Pailingmiao, seat of the Council, Messrs. Pau Yun-ti, Wu Hao-ling, Koh Hsin-chi and other members of the Council in Nanking left here for Inner Mongolia on Monday last.

Prince Sol, President of a Mongolian Banner in Chinghai (Kokonor), and five other Mongolian Princes, who were visiting Nanking, called on Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan, two days previously and reported on the conditions of the various Banners in Chinghai. Having concluded their visit here, they also proceeded to Pailingmiao to attend the meeting. — Chekiai Agency.

CHINA'S ATTITUDE TOWARDS

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On Thursday week our Special Correspondent in Canton reported that from the Shanghai conference of Japanese Consuls-General which held a session the previous day, it was learned that Mr. Tatsuo Kawai, Japanese Consul-General in Canton, had submitted a lengthy report on the attitude of the South-west leaders towards Japan and the present sentiment in Canton in regard to the Sino-Japanese rapprochement.

In order to assist readers to select winners in the Football Leagues
Ranger's Forecast
will appear in
The China Mail
every Tuesday
THE SPECIAL HOME FOOTBALL PAGE WILL BE PUBLISHED ON THURSDAY.

REGULATIONS FOR DEGREES

New Law Enacted By Legislative Yuan

"DOCTOR" CONFERRED BY STATE ONLY

Nanking.

The Legislative Yuan at its meeting on Friday last, under the chairmanship of President Sun Fo, passed a new Law Governing the Conferment of Academic Degrees in China. The Law consists of 12 articles and regulates the conferment of the three grades of degrees, namely, B.A., M.A. and Doctor.

According to the law, graduates of universities or colleges, either Government or private, may obtain the degree of B.A.

The degree of M.A. will be granted to graduates of universities or colleges, already holding B.A. degree, who have completed a two-year course in a research school or institute and have passed the examinations of the school or institute concerned.

The degree of Doctor will be a State degree, conferred by the Government. Candidates for a Doctor's degree must pass the State Examination to be set by a committee composed of specially designated officials of the Executive Yuan and the Examination Yuan.—Chekiai Agency.

RANGERS WIN

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Then the Rangers were awarded a penalty for a simple foul on Vanters, but Morgan, Hamilton's reserve goalkeeper, beat down McPhail's shot.

The Rangers' attack was superior and it was only a desperate defence which saved Hamilton. Brown, Gillick, and Smith all sent in shots for the Rangers, Gillick nearly scoring 10 minutes from the interval.

SMITH OPENS SCORING

Two minutes later a shot from Gillick was returned to Smith, who fastened on to it and scored the Rangers' opening goal, giving them the lead at the interval.—Reuter.

Harrison equalised after the resumption, but Smith headed in the winning goal from a corner after 16 minutes.—Reuter.

RANGERS' RECORD

In their First Round encounter this season the Rangers defeated Cowdenbeath at home by 3 goals to 1, and in the Second Round accounted for Third Lanark by two clear goals. They were hard pressed in the Third Round and just managed to scrape home by a single goal against St. Mirren.

In the Fourth Round the holders easily accounted for Motherwell by 4 goals to 1, but they were held to a draw of one goal each by the Hearts in the Semi-final round, winning the replay by two clear goals.

HAMILTON'S RECORD

Hamilton came through the First Round with a victory of 2 goals to 1 over Dunfermline, but were made to share six goals with Clyde in the Second Round, winning the replay comfortably by 6 goals to 3.

In the Third Round the Academicals trounced Brechin by 4 goals to 2 and in the Fourth Round beat St. Johnstone by three clear goals. They beat Aberdeen by the odd goal in three in their semi-final round clash on March 30.

RANGERS' FINE RECORD

Rangers, the holders, have held the Scottish Cup on many occasions, having won it four times within the last eight seasons.

Last season they entered the Second Round with an overwhelming win over Blairgowrie by 14 goals to 2, and beat Third Lanark by three clear goals in the Second Round.

Then they met the Hearts and were held to a goalless draw, but won the play-off by the odd goal in three. They won their fourth and semi-final round encounters against Aberdeen and St. Johnstone by the only goals scored, and overwhelmed St. Mirren in the final by five clear goals.

Hamilton Academicals made their first appearance in the final round yesterday. Last season they did not reach the Third Round, Falkirk accounting for them by 4 goals to 2.

FORMER WINNERS

The following have been winners of the Scottish Cup during the past eleven seasons:—

1924—25	CELTIC
1925—26	ST. MIRREN
1926—27	CELTIC
1927—28	RANGERS
1928—29	KILMARNOCK
1929—30	RANGERS
1930—31	CELTIC
1931—32	RANGERS
1932—33	CELTIC
1933—34	RANGERS
1934—35	RANGERS

EUROPEAN BOY MISSING

Mr. Golding, of No. 28 Hankow Road, has reported that his son, George, aged 15, has been missing from his home since 6 p.m. on Tuesday.

This boy has been reported missing on previous occasions.

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